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WORLD CUP TV GUIDE

ABC TV's programme of World Cup matches (eas-

JUNE
14: 6.0-6.54pm Opening ceremony and inaugural match, Argentina v Belgium.
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18: 8.00-8.59m N.2 v Scotland; Peru V Camerouni, Hungary El Salvador.
17: 6.00-8.54pm West Germany v Algeria; England v France; Spain v Honduras.
18: 6.00-6.54pm Chile v Austria; Czechoslovakia v Kuwait; Yugoslavia v Northern Ireland.
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20: 6.09-6.59m N2 V Russia; Poland v Cameroun; Beigium V El Salvador.
21: 6.00-6.54pm West Germany v Chile; England v Czechoslovakia; Spain v Yugoslavia.
22: 6.00-6.54pm Algeria v Austria; France v Kuwait; Honduras v Northern Ireland.
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Scotland
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Salvador
25: 6 00-5 spm Algeria v Chile; France v Czechoslovakia;
Honduras v Yugoslavia
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Smain v N Ireland.
29: 6 00-6 5 spm Winners Gp 1 v Gp 3; Runners-up Gp 2 Gp 4.
30: 6 00-6 5 spm Winners Gp 2 v Gp 4; Runners-up Gp 1 v Gp 3.

JULY
2: 6:00-6:54pm Winner Gp 1 v Runner-up Gp 6; Winner Gp 5 v
Runner-up Gp 2:
3: 10:45-11:40pm Winner Gp 2 v Runner-up Gp 5; Winner Gp 6
v Runner-up Gp 1:
5: 6:00-6:54pm Winner Gp 3 v Runner-up Gp 6; Winner Gp 5 v

v Runner-up Gp 1.

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6: 600-6.55pm Winner Gp 4 v Runner-up Gp 5; Winner Gp 6 v Runner-up Gp 3.

9: 6.00-6.54pm Semi-finals.

11: 6:00-6.54pm Play-off for 3rd place.
12: 345-5.58m THE FINAL (LIVE) and 6:00-6.54pm Replay highlights of Final.



Dino Zoff is set to make Italian soccer history in the 1982 World Cup finals which kick-off on Sunday, June 13 with an intriguing clash between holder Argentina and European champion Belgium.

No Italian has gained 100 caps but Zoff is just two games away from achieving that milestone.

He still is Italy's number one after 14 years of international ex-perience. Barring injury and a sensational about-

face by manager Enzo Bearzot, Zoff will make his 99th appearance against Poland on June 14, at the age of 40.

The magic 100 figure will appear just four days later when the ageless

maestro marches out onto the turf of Vigo's Balaides Stadium to act as Italy's faithful sentinel against the enigmatic Peruvians.

The Italians are the dark horses of the final series. Experience is the keynote of what could be a surpris-ingly successful Spanish trip for Bearzot and his blue shirted men.



Dino Zoff - set to make Italian soccer his-

Don't discount the Yugoslavs either. Manager
Miljan Miljanic has engendered amazing harmony in
his squad. The Yugoslav
press is espousing the
virtues of 26 year old midfielder Vladimir Petrovic
and 29 year old striker
Vahid Haillhodzle. The Yugoslavs firmly believe that
not only will they astound
the world by reaching the

later stages of the finals but they also think they'll win the World Cup!

However most observers have singled out an elite quartet from which they believe the champion of the world will emerge—Brazil, West Germany, Arceptina and host Spain. gentina and host Spain

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largaritis blasts Docherty

Former South Melbourne Hellas coach John Margaritis has hit out angrily at his successor, Tommy Docherty, over Docherty's criticism of Australian coach-

Writing in the Melbourne "Herald," Docherty said: "There are perhaps a handful of good coaches in Australia . . . The others just lack experience and they won't get it hanging around here . . for the most part they are equipped with enthusiasm and not knowledge.

Docherty, who last week agreed to coach Hellas until the end of 1983 also



John Margaritis

Criticised the 4-4-2 forma-tion and said Preston Makedonia was worse than

Makedonia was worse than a pub team.

Margaritis fired from both barrels. "It's complete bullshit," he said.

"What qualifies Docherty to put down the Australian coaches? He says we should go to Europe to



Tommy Docherty

learn about our professions, but we've been to Europe more times than he knows.

"Certainly we could benefit from having a few of the world's best coaches here but I'm talking about the world's best, not about Docherty.

"He makes himself out

as a bit of a comedian by writing stuff like this.

"He talks about attacking soccer, but Hellas is playing exactly the same style as it played while I was coaching them.

"John Stevenson is still playing midfield on the right, and George Campbell is coming deep on the left to help the midfield. That's 44-2, yet Docherty is rubbishing 44-2. Does he think Australian coaches are stupid? Does he think we're from the jungle?

"Hellas was due to have a win when I left. We had been playing well. The breaks were bound to come, and they did. In addition, Alan Davidson's return improved the team

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Kaiser scores thrice in farewell

Franz Beckenbauer ended his playing career in Hamburg with a benefit metch in which the West German national team beat his Hamburger SV equed 4-2. Beckenbauer, known to West Germans as "Kaleer" (Emperor) Franz, hit goals for both sides, sooring one for Hamburg and putting the ball Into his own net while trying to clear from defence.

Beckenbauer, capped 103 times for his country, made it 3-0 when the ball sprang

Paul Breitner, looking younger without his usual busy beard, headed in the fourth before Lars Bastrup scored for Hamburg. Beckenbauer scored the second for his tasm with a shot which the West German defence made no real effort to stop.

Lacombe the quickest scorer

Scotland went out of the finals without losing a chand conceding only one They best Zaire 2-0, 0-0 with Brazil and 1-1 Yugoslavia but were nated on goal difference.

e West Germany's Helmut Schoen is the World Cup's most successful manager — teams under his control having finished runners-up in 1966, third in 1970 and winners in

e The choice of ball for the 1982 World Cup finals is causing defending champions Argentina a little concern.

It is smaller and lighter than that used in Argentina and after one recent trial game with the Tango-Espana 82 ball Diego Maradona commented. "The ball made me feel like a beginner. It acted as though it was alive."

FIFA rules state the ball must be between 68 and 71 contimetres in diameter and weigh between 396 and 453

Rufer for Switzerland New Zealand World Cup striker Wynton Rufer has aned a two-year contract with Swiss club FC Zurich.

He will join the club on July 1 after the World Cup finals in

After several players claimed the ball favoured Eu-ropean players, Argentine manager Menotti ordered an extra 50 for his squad.

Just Fontaine scored in every match for France in the 1958 finals and his 13 goels total remains the top by any player in the finals.

Gerd Muller, of West Germany, is the top World Cup finals goalscorer with 14 from his appearances in the 1970 and 1974 finals.

e Brazilian forward Vava scored in the 1958 and '62 World Cup finals. Pele scored twice in the '58 final but had to wait until 1970 for his next final goal.

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> > KICK OFF 3pm

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Ballarat v Latrobe Valley

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KICK OFF 9am Western Victoria v Northern Victoria I. & A.S.L.V. v North Eastern KICK OFF 11am

Latrobe Valley v Sunraysia

Bendigo Amateur v Ballarat KICK OFF 1pm

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KICK OFF 3pm Bendigo Amateur v Latrobe Valley

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MONDAY, 14th JUNE 1982.

KICK OFF 11am Runners-up Group 'A' v Runners-up Group 'B' KICK OFF 1pm Winners Group 'A' v Winners Group 'B'

Admission \$1. Children and Senior Citizens Free.

e Bernard Lacombe, of France, netted the fastest finals goal with his 31 seconds effort against Italy in Argen-

• Barcelone has an additional reason for wanting to keep visiting officials and supporters happy during the World Cup. The City Council is hopeful of staging the 1992 Olympic Games.

e El Salvador was knocked out of the 1970 World Cup

Cochrane out

Northern Ireland has suffered a blow with the withdrawal from its World Cup squad of highly-rated Middlesborough winger ferro control of the second state of the secon

or scoring a goal. They lost 3-0 to Belgium, 4-0 to Mexico and 2-0 to Russia.

e Brazil's Mario Zagalo is the only man to have played in and managed World Cup win-ning teams. He played in 1958 and 1962 and managed the 1970 winners.

e Only 300 people saw the Rumania v Peru game in Mon-tevideo during the 1930 finals. In the 1950 finals Brazil v Uru-guay in Rio de Janeiro attrac-ted a crowd of 199,850.



Paul Breitner (right) challenges Franz Beckenbauer during a clash

Breitner — the world's best in midfield?

The period between May 17 and July 7, 1974 will long be remembered by West German soccer fans; for during those 52 glorious days the game's two most prestigious trophies — the World Cup and European Cup, trophies found their way to the Federal Republic.

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Six players, Sepp Maier, Franz Beckenbauer, Georg Schwarzenbeck, Paul Breitner, Uil Hoeness and Gerd Mueller, shared in both triumphs.

Injuries have subsequently forced Maier, Schwarzenbeck, Hoeness and Muller to retire. Beckenbauer formally ended his illustrious career with a glitering testimonial last week.

Paul Breitner however remains as one of the greatest influences in world soccer.

Although Bayern Munich lost to Aston Villa in the European Cup final. West Germany inevitably will be among the front runners in the Mundial.

Who then is this Paul Breitner?

Born in Kolbermoor, he started his career with local amateur club SV Kolbermoor before moving to the equally obscure ESV Freilassig. At 18 years, the permitted age for players to sign professional forms in West Germany, he joined Bayern Munich.

For the next six seasons, Breitner was to win at least one major honor per campaign.

Maier, Beckenbauer and Mueller already had been ordained as superstars when the youth from Kolbermoor joined the Bayern payroll. The supporting cast was mediocre though and Borussia Moenchengladbach ruled the domestic roost, while Ajax Amsterdam mastered Europe.

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payroll. The supporting cast was mediocre though and Borussia Moenchengladbach ruled the domestic roost, while Ajax Amsterdam mastered Europe. Yogoslav cach Branko Zebec was in the process of introducing talented youngsters to supplement the Maler — Beckenbauer — Mueller axis. Breitner was to prove one of his most spectacular and immediate successes.

The 1971 West German Cup gave the teenager his first winners' medal, but was merely the springboard for greater triumphs. During the following season Bayern broke Borussia's stranglehold on the "Bundesliga", while its young cultured left back earned a place in the national team.

Breitner quickly fitted into one of the most brilliant combinations in post-war international football.

West Germany produced such breathtakingly Immaculate soccer during the 1972 European Champlonship that many experts insist that they rate alongside even the great Hungarian and Brazillian sides of the past.

Displaying the ultimate in "total football", with each member proficient in a variety of roles, the Germans were tresistible.

Breitner, ever reliable in the tackle, moved up the left flank; eagerly probing for openings.

On the way to the championship the Germans swept aside Engeland 3-1 at Wembley and, in a classic display, humbled USSR 3-0 in the final.

in the final.

Six members of the side were from Bayern, which was now the dominant force on the home front as it claimed three successive

league championships.

Ajax Amsterdam, inspired by the superb Johan Cruyff, retained a vice-like grip on the European Cup though. A 5-2 defeat of the Bavarians in the 1972-73 quarter finals confirmed Ajax's superior-

Bavarians in the 1812-18 quarter immediately five to the control of Ajax's Cruylt's transfer to Barcelona signalled the end of Ajax's reign. Bayern was regarded as the natural successor, but it had to work hard before claiming the crown.

Swedish part-timers Atvidaberg were subdued only after a series of penalty kick deciders in the first round. During the next stage Dynamo Dresden lost by the odd goal in 13.

In the final Bayern had to rely upon an equaliser with the last

LES IS THERE

Australian coach Les Scheinflug is on a four-week rerseas tour which he hopes will culminate in Australia aching the finals of the World Youth Championships

Scheinflug will watch the final stages of the European Youth qualifying matches in Finland as part of his overall plan to get Australia through its first matches in December for the 1983

championship.

He will then travel to Czechoslovakia to stay with and watch national coach Joe Venglos prepare his team for the World Cup and will conclude his trip watching some of the World Cup match-

Venglos, who has visited and coached in Australia, is regarded one of the foremost coaches in Europe.

Venglos, who has visited and coached in Australia, is regarded as one of the foremost coaches in Europe. Scheinflug will be seeking the latest techniques In coaching to being back to Australia, and will be particularly interested in the youth teams. He announced a squad of 24 after the National Youth Titles in Canberra recently, and has arranged for the next training camp to be held in Sydney at the end of June.

This means Scheinflug is likely to miss the World Cup final in order to be back in Sydney for the training sessions.

The top European teams will qualify for the Mexico Youth finals next year, and Scheinflug will be able to watch and analyse their leading players and tactics.

Australia is drawn to meet Papua New Guinea, New Zealand and Fiji at Port Moresby in December, with the winner taking part in a further qualifying round in the Americas to make the final sixteen in Mexico.

TED SIMMONS

By PAUL MOON

kick of the match to thwart Athletic Madrid. Demoralised, the Spanlards succumbed 4 - 8 in the replay just two days later. The Munich club still supplied the backbone of the West The Munich club still supplied the backbone of the West The Munich club still supplied the backbone of the West Linfortunated with contested the 1974 World Cup on home soil. Unfortunately the hosts were unable to repeat the exhilarating displays of two years earlier. They struggled in their opening game with a subour Chile and it was Breitner, with an explosive shot from 30 yards, who produced the solitary score. A 3-0 win over Austraia was followed by an humiliating loss to bitter rival East Germany. But they had done sufficient to qualify for the second stage.

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Another Breitner goal clinched victory over Yugoslavia. This was followed by wins over Sweden and Poland, enabling was Germany to head its pool. However the Germans exhibited less than stimulating form.

In contrast Holland, which headed the other section, displayed sparking, flowing football and it was the Dutch who went into the final as favorites.

Within a minute house of Germany was awarded a penalty. Germany the section of the proposed of the penalty of the section of the penalty of the section of the penalty of the section of the penalty of the pe

At 22 years of age he stood at the top of his profession. Off the field though, problems simmered.

Breitner is a zealous Marxist and his politics often led to conflicts with teammates, particularly captain Franz Beckenbauer, who aiready had acquired a number of business interests.

A move away from Munich appeared likely. The eventual destination was a shock though.

Spain, where General Franco's regime still maintained an iron grip, seemed an improbable choice. But it was here that Breitner decided his future lay and he joined Real Middrid after Bayern received a \$840,000 transfer fee.

The explanation was that the huge salary Real offered would enable Breitner to fulfill his life's ambition: to open a school for handicapped children. Also the slower pace of life in Spain attracted him.

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Initially the German thrived in Madrid. The astute Miljan Miljanci switched him to midfield, where he operated in harness with compatriot Guenther Netzer; another hero of the 1972 European Championship campaign.

Prior to Breitner's arrival, real had experienced its worst season for 23 years, finishing eighth in the Spanish League.

With their two Germans in devastating form though, they were unstoppable during the 1974-75 term, winning both league and cup. Despite being a thousand miles away from his home country. Breitner continued to wrangle with West German federation authorities, whom he regarded as a prime example of the ruling bourgeoiste.

normers, whom he regarded as a prime earning to the family bourgeoiste.

After learning through the newspapers that he had been dropped for an international with Bulgaria, the former Bayern star declared that he would never represent Germany again. Able to concentrate fully on club soccer, Breitner helped Real gain yet another league title but then everything went suddenly awry.

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The 1976-77 season was the worst in three decades, with Madrid failing to qualify for European competition for the first time in history. The fact that local antagonist Athletico Madrid finished as champion was the final blow.

Attrocious results, bickeiring in both board and dressing rooms, the bitterness of Real supporters and a hate campaign directed against coach Miljanije.— a close personal friend—combined to make that season a nightmare for Breitner.

The writing was on the wall long before Eintracht Braunschweig, a relatively modest Bundesliga club, moved in to aquire the ex-international for \$5800, Breitner immediately demonstrated that he was still a world class performer, despite the fact that his new club was situated in the lower half of the table.

Among a host of club which enquired about transfer possibilities was Bayern Munich. After less than a year at Braunschweig Breitner returned to Bavaria, the fee being \$574,000.

It was a vastly different set-up to the one he had left four years earlier. Gone was former adversary Beckenbauer, along with the majority of the old guard.

The club was in the midst of a transitional period. Only goal difference separated it from Braunschweig in the ladder.

The emergence of Karl-Heinz Rummendige, a fast, but clumsy winger when Breitner left Munich, and his own scintillating, form hastened Bayern's return to a position among the elite of world club soccer.

The call for Breitner to change his mind about donning the

The call for Breitner to change his mind about doming the white jersey of Germany again grew into a tumuit. In March of last year he relented and made his first international appearance in five and a half years, helping the West Germans overcome Austria in a vital World Cup qualifying game.

This belated act of patriotism probably clinched the 1981 West German Footballer of the Year poll in which Breitner gained 435 of the 931 wepter at take.

German Footballer of the Year poll in which Breitner gained 430 of the 821 votes at stake.

However he had to be content with second place in the European version, finishing 42 votes behind Rummenigge.

Vision, accelaration, distribution and purposeful ball-carrying are the main attributes of a player who seems assured of a place among the all-time greats of German football.

Maradona's \$5.6 million



reputation put to test World

Diego Maradona makes his muchtrumpeted Cup debut after a \$5.6 million transfer to Barcelona, knowing he has nothing to lose but his reputation as a genius.

The stocky Argentine pro-digy is expected to mesmerise opponents and delight specta-tors of all nationalities with his breathtaking dribbling and

But Maradona knows that although the opening match of the finals against Belgium in Barcelona on Sunday will be his first World Cup game of any description, he can expect an uncompromising welcome.

At 21 he is a marked man and if those given the job of

containing him resort of the kind of tackling that brought so painful an end to Pele's World Cup in 1966, the young

Maradona, who stands only 165 metres (five feet five inches), did not take part in his country's triumph in the 1978 finals because manager Cesar Menott felt he was too young to be thrown into the pressure-cooker atmosphere of the World Cup.

Menotti's relationship with Maradona has not always been harmonious. But he is gener-ous in his praise of the young man, who has bkeen voted South American player of the year for the past three years.

Menotti has called him the best player in the world. "He does things no other footballer would attempt ..., at 21 years old he is a miracle."

Maradona plays in midfield and is the driving force and or-ginator of so many of Argenti-na's better moves.

Like Pele, he wears the number 10 shirt but the chain-smoking Menotti rejects any comparison between Mara-dona and the legendary Brazi-lian.

"Remember Pele scored 1,-500 goals, won three World Cup winners' medals and 20 championship medals. Mara-dona has a long way to go to equal this," Menotti told re-porters.

"But if anyone can be anoth-er Pele then it is Maradona," he added.

But there are similarities in background with Pele who emerged fromt he slums of Sao Paulo, Maradona learned his trade in wasteland kick-about games. He was born the

fifth child of eight in Villa Fiorito, a Buenos Aires shanty town, and has never neglected his family? swelfare. "If my parents asked me to give them heaven and earth, and I could, that still wouldn't bwe enough to repay them for the sacrifices they made," he savs.

says.

Maradona's meteoric rise is

maradona's meteoric rise is Maradona's meteoric rise is a classic raps-to-riches tale. His lucky break came at the tender age of nine when he was spotted by coach Francisco Cornejo and recruited for the juntor team Los Cebolitas (little onions). He did not have long to wait before Buenos Aires giant River Plate made a bid for him. But Cornejo refused the offer.

offer. Maradona stayed with Los Cebollitas and graduated to its senior side Argentinos Juniors in 1973, despite fears that his lack of height would be a serious drawback.

serious drawback.

He exploded on to the international scene in 1979 when be starred in the World Yough Cup in Tokyo, scoring in Argentina's 3-1 defeat of the Soviet Union in the final.

gentina's 3-1 defeat of the Soviet Union in the final. He was soon causing a strat full international level and during Argentina's 1980 European tour his ball control, speed, vision and precision passing were a revelation. As his fame spread, offers began to flood in to Argentinos Juniors for the wonder-boy who was dubbed "the new Peie". But attempts to lure him abroad caused an uproar and "keep Maradona in Argentina" campaigns were launched.

Last year he was excluded froin the Argentine national team for two friendly inter-nationals after refusing to turn up for training.

He was quoted in a local Argentine newspaper as saying that some journalists interfered with his private life, that he wanted to stop playing and that he was fed up with foot-

But his appetite for the game was apparently returned in light of his impending trans-fer to Barcelona.

Domingo Tesone, president of Argentinos Juniors, says the deal was clinched with repre-sentatives of Barcelona in Buenos Aires.

Buenos Aires.

He added the contract would be confirmed once Argentinos Juniors received an initial down-payment of \$1.9 million. The remainder would be paid in instalments over a four-year period.

The first announcement of 21-year-old Maradona's move to Barcelona was made two weeks ago but the transfer was held up when the parties involved refused to meet lawyer's fees of \$470.000.

It now has been agreed that lawyers will receive \$300,000 to be paid equally by Argentinos Juniors, Boca Juniors, for whom Maradona has been playing on loan for the past few months, Maradona himself and Barcelona.





Austria's Herbert Prohaska (top) and Spain's Zamora tipped to be among the World Cup stars.

Miljan masterminded success at Real Madrid, Red Star

Miljan Miljanic remains one of the most popular managers in the world game.

His past — linked with the successes of the famous, Red Star Belgrade and Real Madrid — his aura of a citizen of the world, and his reputation as a hard-working, down-to-earth disciplianrian, have earned offers from almost every country.

His working knowledge of half a dozen lan-guages clearly gives him special advantages and underlines the basic intelligence of the man in a game whose personalities are not always renowned for their intellectual gifts.

always renowned for their interiectual gits.

Born in Montenegro, Yugoslavia, on May 4
1930, Miljanic was for almost 30 years inseparably linked with Red Star Belgrade, Joining soon after the club's foundation in 1945 and
staying 28 years, much of the time as a firstteam left half, then on the coaching staff.

Though Miljanic played mored than 400 games with Red Star he was in and out of the first team and it was after missing a vital pealty in one of his last games that he decided to call it a day and concentrate on coaching.

Always looking for more challenges he readily accepted a call to join the management committee of the national team. Then, in 1973, he took on — in addition to his Red Star job — the dual role of full national team chief for the World Cup.

It was during the qualifying group for the 1974 Finals in West Germany that Miljaic was 'discovered' by Spanish football though it was Ironic that the Slavs reached the finals by virtue of a 1-0-play-off victory over Spain in Frankfurt.

But for Miljanic the Word Cup was just a stepping stone on the way back to Spain where he was engaged by Real Madrid at \$150,000 a year — with instant success.

In his first season they won the league and cup double and the championship again in 1976. But Miljanic was never quite accepted in Madrid. His tough training schedules, organised with 5recko Radisic, his one-time Ked Star aide, upset a number of players and was unreasonably blamed by fans for a prolonged injury crisis which hit Madrid in 1976-77.

His flirtation with Arsenal brought an im-

in the opening game of the 1977-78 season at Salamanca, Miljanic abruptly departed.

He was pursued by Southampton in Septem-ber and Chelsea in October. He might have thought seriously about them had events in Yugoslavia not taken a surprise turn.

sugossavia not taken a surprise turn.

Eliminated from the 1978 World Cup in the qualifiers, the federation had appointed a new manager. Branko Lustica. In October however Lustica feli III and resigned and with the need to put together a European championship side now a matter of concern the federation invited applications from would-be-successors.

Miljanic was the choice.

In the autumn of 1979, with Spain in command of the European group, Miljanic grew depressed at the lack of support he was receiving from his own lederation. Injuries they could not help, but the steady flow of top players abroad – particularly now that England had opened up a new market – and government authorities' refusal to bend an inch of national service demands were problems which might have been tackled with more resolution.

"We are our own worst enemies," Miljanic complained. "Every few months it's as if I have to build a completely new team. How can we achieve anything in such circumstances?"

He's disappointed at a levelling down of standards in the world game but while he maintains his insistence on developing players "who are skilful, experienced to withstand pressures and can think for themselves," standards in Yugoslavia won't fall.

And Miljanic might, on the quiet, take a great deal of pleasure in the success of Paul Breitner as midfield general of the revived Bayern Munich.

For it was Miljanic who first decided that the precocious young World Cup-winning left back of 1974 with West Germany, might develop much further if switched into midfield. Miljanic told Real Madrid then to sign him and it was the Breitner-Netzer midfield link on which his Spanish success was built.

It's that sort of football eye which has earned Miljanic his reputation.

MILJAN MILJANIC Record of success

Record of success
World Cup - 1974 Finals, second round l'augustavie.
Second round l'augustavie.
Guerra - 1971
somi finals (Nod Star) - 1976
somi-finals (Rod Star) - 1976
somi-finals (Rod Madrid).
National ch'ships: - Yugoslavia: 1988, 1969, 1970.
1973 (Red Star); Spain: 1975,
1976 (Real Madrid).
National cups: - Yugoslavis; 1968, 1970, 1971 (Red
Star); Spain: 1975 (Real Madrid).



Yugoslavia's star forward Vahid Halihod-

Panenka free

kick expert

ENGLAND beware! Czechoslovakia's free-kick expert Antonin Pan-enka is practising more than ever his set-piece movements.

Panenka is recognised as just about the deadliest free-kick and penalty specialist in the world.

the world.

Now playing in Austria for Rapid Vienna, Panenka practises each day after training.

A fence, six feet high and 15 feet long representing defensive wall, is placed about eight feet from the edge of the penalty box at various places.
Panenka then 'bneds' the ball around or over the wall into the goal. He says: "Just as a pinao virtusos needs constant practise to keep his fingers supple. I need to practise my free-kicks.

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GUNS GUARD ARGENTINIANS

A MASSIVE security operation has been mounted to protect the Argentine World Cup football team from terrorists - and from British tourists.

Their four-star beach hotel on the Costa Blanca will this week be transformed into a fortress.

Sixty armed police are to mount a round-the-clock guard on the fifty-strong group of the Argentine players and offi-cials.

Police fear clashes between the Argentines and British soccer fans holidaying in Ben-idorm only a few miles away.

The solitary road leading to the Argentines' hotel, El Mon-tiboll, at Villajoyosa, will be

patrolled night and day by police carrying machine guns. British holidaymakers will be barred from the hotel during the world cupholders' four-week stay, and the team will not be allowed to visit Benidorm.

Benidorm.

Sightseeing trips by the team will only be allowed with heavily armed police-escort.

Immediately after their arrival, the Argentine team will start training and practice matches on the nearby Villagious and pround, newly turfed especially for them.

Their leisure time will be confined to their 50-room, 18-pound-a-night hotel, which has a swimming pool, a bar and tennis courts.

Police have ordered search-lights to be fitted to the hotel roof to sweep the grounds throughout the night. On the beach, police will patrol night and day watching for possible intruders from the

Manager Jose Manuel Castillo said: "We cannot be too careful. Police have taken every precaution."

"It's immediately notice-able even if I miss out a couple of days."





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0-0 hoodoo

The believe-it-or-not fact that it's 20 years since a al was scored in the opening of the World Cup finals.

e Since Chile '62, this 'tradi-tion' of a goalless draw in the inaugural match has been created by England and Uru-guay (1986), Mexico and Rusels (1970), Brazil and Yu-goalavia (1974), and West Germany and Poland (1978).

So the big question is — can Argentina score in the first tie in Spain and show they still carry the firepower they had in their 1978 win?

Then, as host country, y totalied no fewer than 15 ils in seven ties.



Brazilian ace Zico

Zico: 560 goals an \$28,000 a month!

From OLIVER WATES

in Rio de Janeiro

When Pele retired, there was talk in Brazil that his number 10 shirt should be set aside as a national treas-

It was not only respect for the great man which prompted such suggestions. It was also aimed at relieving his successor of an intolerable burden. Pele, it was felt, was too tough an act to follow.

But along came Zico to fill the gap. And it is perhaps his greatest achievement that he has not only done full justice to the number IO shirt but, if anything, has added to its lustre.

At 29, the Flamengo star is

But Zico is not just another soccer legends to tire of autographing footballs for an ever-present band of adoring young fans, of being photographed with their fathers or kissed by their mothers.

He is known as an emplary family man rather than a frequenter of exclusive nightclubs.

at the height of his powers—darling of the terraces, inspiration to his teammates, scorer of impossible goals, match-winner supreme.

But Zico is not just another

nightclubs.

He is always the last to stop training. He does not smoke and drinks only socially. He lives for football, Flamengo and the Brazilian national side.

"You have to know how to take it all tranquilly, to keep your bead," said Zico on his way to the dressing room after Tailing. We steps from the pitch to the tunnel are an obstacle course for Zico — local journalists quiz him about Flamengo's next match, a magazine writer wants his opinion on sex, Italian newsmen want a feature, a posse of small boys seek autographs, while a photographer wants him in several different shirts, clean boots and socks, even doing a bicycle kick.

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Zico made all three goals, two radar-like passes to Nunes and an explosive free-kick which goalkeeper Bruce Grobbelaar could not hold.

Arthur Antunes Coimbra -Arthur Antunes Coimora — his real name — was born and brought up in the Rio suburb of Quintino, the son of Portuguese immigrants.

It was a footballing family. His father Jose was once a goalkeeper and three of Zico's four brothers were professionals.

sionals.

Zico joined Flamengo as a skinny teenager and he has stayed ever since, resisting lucrative offers from abroad.

He lives with his wife Sandra and two small sons in the beachside suburb of Barra

de Tijuca and earns more than \$28,000 a month.

"He's worth it, he scores the goals," said club president Antonio de Abranches.

Zico does more than that. He has helped make Flameago Brazil's most popular club and inspired the influx of 4,000 youngsters who have applied for trials in the past four years.

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But for the moment, the World Cup dominates his thoughts. Brazil, three times winner, has not triumphed since 1970 and the pressure is

since 1970 and the pressure is mounting.
"I think our chances are excellent," said Zico. "Brazil have all they need to get to the final although the team is not yet what we would hope for. There's still a lot missing."

If the Brazilians have yet to improve, that is bot news for the other 23 finalists.

\$2 mil Falcao is Pele's favorite

By PAUL MOON

VALDIR PERES (Sao Paulo): A member of the Brazillan squad in the 1974 and 1978 World Cup finals but was not called upon to play in either tournament. He became a regular member of the first team shortly before the qualitying series against Bolivia and Venezusing series during which he conceded just two

PAULO SERGIO (Betafege): aldir Peres' reserve for just over year. A tall, solid goalkeeper, sulo Sergio has good anticipation t lacks experience at inter-tional level

Paulo sergio nas good anticipation but lacks acpresence at interCARLOS (Ponte Preta): Lack of depth among Brail's goalkeepers has given Carlos an opportunity to regain his place of the 1873 World Cup pool, but discarded soon afterwards, he is fearless when coming off his line and extremely competent fielding high crosses. World Cup campaign, Oscar 1878 World Cup Campa

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Roma): supremely gifted maestro of the midfield moved to Italy from Internacional Porte Allegre when S.1,160,000 changed hands in 1808. He subsequently revived the alling Roman club and is known by its Inas Brazillian, Pele regards him as the best player in the world at the present time. Santana must rate him highly too, as he was brought into the squad despite being and you're.



EDER (Athletico Mineiro): A fast, direct left winger with a devastating shot. His weaknesses are a tendency to "disappear" from games and a volatile temper.

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SERGHINO (Sao Paulo): A pro-ilfic goalscorer for his club but has yet to find the net consistently for Brazil. A powerful shooter, who is also good in the air, Serghino's hot temper has let him down in the

temper has let him down in the past.

ZICO (Flamengo): Runner up to Diego Maradona in the South American Footballer of the Year poll Izle is universally acknowledged as the enty logical contender for the more than the content of the past of the content of the content of the content of the past of the content of the past of the p

quired.

ROBERTO DIRCEU (Athletico Madrid): A spate of Injuries among his leading strikers prompted Tele Santana to recall Direce, Brazil's best player in 1978, from Spain. With the strict came to prominence with Vasco de Gama but moved to America (Mexico) for 5658,000 in 1978 and then on to Madrid a couple of years later.

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CARECA (Gunzal): A surprise choice, this surface is 23 years old surprise choice, this surface is 23 years old surprise choice, the surface is 23 years old surprise choice, the surprise choice is 24 years old surprise choice in the surprise choice is 24 years old surprise choice in the surprise choice is 24 years of the surprise choice is 24 years of the surprise choice is a case of the surprise choice in the surprise choice is 24 years of the surprise choice is 24 years of the surprise choice in the surprise choice is 24 years of the surprise choice in the surprise choice is 24 years of the surprise choice in the surprise choice is 24 years of the surprise choice in the surprise ch

World Cup favourite Brazil trounced Portuguese First ivision side Belenenses 13–3 (halftime 4–2) in a friendly

BRAZIL WINS 13-3

The Brazillans, who face the Soviet Union, New Zealand and Scotland in Group Six in Spain, scored through Careca (3), Serginho (4), Zico (3), Edvaldo, Leandro and Dirceu.

Djao (2) and Arnaldo scored for Belenenses.

First big job for **Austrian boss**

The surprise sacking of Karl Stotz after he ateered the Austrians through their quelifying group was intended to pave the way for the return of Ernst Happel — the Austrian manager who guided Holland to the 1978 World Cup Final.

But Austria's Group Two opponent West Germany exerted pressure on the current Hamburger SV boss, and he finally had to step down.

Austria's 1978 boss, Helmut Senekowitsch, had been ruled out for 'political' reasons and finally, just four months before the World Cup kick-off, Georg Schmidt was hurriedly promoted to the top spot on the trainers' bench after more than a decade as the number two.

Oddly, 35-year-old Schmidt is reported to have never played professional foutball, and never to have managed a club side.



Georg Schmidt

Georg Schmidt

He's dedicated his career to
theory rather than practice, as
a 'professor' of football at the
Austrian coaching school.
He now faces a baptism of
fire at the helm of the Austrian
team in Spain, though the experience he gathered in Argentina four years ago should
stand him in good stead.
Schmidt will be assisted by
Admira Wacker's 40-year-old
coach Felix Latzke in Spain.

low the 24 finalists qualified for Spain

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Greece	8	3	1	4	10	13	7
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ALGERIA, CAMEROON QUALIFY

ASIA AND OCEANIA

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- Iraw 2, Saudia 1 — Iraw 2, Syria 1

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Bahrain 0, Saudia 1 — Iraw 2, Syria 1

Careo 0, Sanabia 1 — Iraw 2, Syria 1

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Group 2
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Colombis 4 0 2 2 4 7 2

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Cenada 2, USA 1 - Mexico 5, USA 1

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USA 4 1 2 4 8 5

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FA Cup - Liverpool:





FRENCH HOPES

PETER SCOTT

France has one of the longest traditions of any nation in international soccer.

or any national soccer.

Although its national FA
French—together with Belglum, Denmark, Spain,
Sweden and Switzerland—
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France, back row left to right: Marius Tresor, Gerard Janvion, Praincy, Boak 10th of the Ingill. Indiana Street, Gerand Co-Bernard Genghini, Maxime Bossis, Christian Lopez, Jean Ces-taneda. Front: Dominique Rocheteau, Bernard Lacombe, Alain Giresse, Michel Platini, Didier Six.

FRANCE FALTERS

Bulgarie.

A 56th minute goal by Ian Rush brought about the latest set-back for France, which faces England, Czechoslovakle and Kuwati in the first round of the finals in Spain.

France, in shaky form in a minor game against second division Spanish side Andorra, failed to live up to the expectations of trainer Michael Hidalgo, who found his team lacked polish and

onfidence.
France's last warm-up game is in San Sebastian on Friday
egainst Spanish champions Real Sociedad.

other major West European countries.

Thus, it came as no surprise that French sports fans were not overly perturbed at the failure of the Tricolors to reach the World Cup finals between 1966 and 1978. One Mundial record they do hold, that of Juste Fontaine's 13 goals in

The man in charge of the 1982 challenge is Michael Hi-dalgo, who has been steering French football fortunes since 1976.

French football fortunes since 1976.

"We do not intend to appear in Spain as just one of the alsorans, there are certain targets that we have set ourselves." he said in a recent interview. "But, being realists, our aims are relatively modest." For Hidalgo, the trip to Spain is a return to his "roots", being the son of a Spanish father and French mother In football, too, he has memories of Spain, having appeared for Stade Reims against Real Madrid in the inaugural Champions' Cup final of 1856. In fact, Hidalgo scored the goal which put Reims into a 3-2 lead, but, also face the match around with two well taken around with two well taken goals.

around with two well taken goals.
Hidalgo is unusual, in that he consults and seeks the advice of his players on major decisions, to the extent that many critics ironically call his star Michael Platini the "real" manager.
For many, the French team and Platini are one and the same—and with good reason. If the 26-year-old St Etienne midfielder is in form, France has the potential to beat

same — and with good reason. If the 28-year-old St Etlenne midfielder is in form, France has the potential to beat almost any team in the world. He is not just the man who dictates tactics on the field, he is a player of brilliant technical ability and is also a deadly marksman, as his five goals — 25 percent of the state of the

Italy 1-1

Italy rounded off its World Cup preparation with a dis-appointing 1-1 draw with Switzerland.

The Swiss went ahead through Barberis in the 55th minute, and Cabrini equalised in the 78th minute.

It was Dino Zoff's 98th international.

Italy's team was: Zoff (Bordon 46th), Gentile, Cabrini, Marini (Dossena 78th), Collovati, Scirea, Causio, Tardelli, Rossi, Antognoni, Grazimi (Altobelli 6th).

Michel Platini (foreground), France's world class mid-elder, crashes to the turf in a recent French First Divi-

Dead mice, cats' tails

Cameroon's weapons

THE CAMEROON, black Africa's represen-

tatives in Spain, are one of the mystery

A team, too, that will indulge in bizarre forms of prematch psychology before going out to face Peru, Poland and Italy.

It is expected the African side will employ witchcraft deam die, cats' talls, cocks feathers and all that.

Massimo Fenili, an Italian, has 20 years' experience of coaching teams in Africa. He claims all that continent's sides go in for ju-ju before and during matches.

Certainly Peru are treating suggestions of witchcraft seriously. A coven of witches gathered in Lima recently to ward off the Cameroon spells!

But the unknowns of this year's World Cup finals have a lot more going for them than magic spells and the like.

Striker Roger Milla, for example, the plays for French side Bastia. This exciting and super's finisher scored four goals when the Cameroon thumped Zaire 6-1 in a qualifying game.

thumped Zaire 6-1 in a quali-tying game.

Then there is goalkeeper
Thomas N'Kono, a former Af-rican Footballer of the Year,
who has been called the
Jaguar of Yaounde (his club side) and the Black Yashin, after the famous Russian 'kee-ner.

But N'Kono's big idol was the West German Sepp Maier. He even wears the German's name on his kit.

According to Helenio Herrera, veteran coach and architect of Italy's catenaccio style of defence, N'Kono will be 'one of the revelations of this summer's World Cup.''

As a youngster, N'Kono was a right-winger. He turned to goalkeeping only when someone failed to turn up for the position.

With more than 60 caps, he has played for his country since season 1974-75.

It is unlikely that the Cameroon will make much impact on their section. Though having one or two outstanding individuals; they are tactically naive.

Coach is Frenchman Jean

individuals, they are tactically naive.

Coach is Frenchman Jean Vincent. But he was appointed only last month, so has had insufficient time to give his team a professional outlook. Yet if this African side were more disciplined in their approach, it is possible it would be at the expense of the unexpected flair which can make such sides exciting to watch. Better to let them play off the cuff. for they have forwards who can torture the best-organised defences.

spend the next few weeks at home in Essex catching up on the decorating

while his wife follows Scotland on the World Cup soccer trail to Spain.

The 22-year-old fullback who, for the past couple of seasons, had looked a natural successor to Danny McGrain, must watch the finals on television after being axed from Jock Stein's squad.

The Scots manager has trimmed his pool from 24 to the final 22 and there is no place for the West Ham player or Celtie's elegant midfield man Tommy Burns.

Stewart, capped sk times Stewart, capped sk times Stewart, capped sk times aboutely sick but even when we assembled ten days ago I had a feeling that I would be one of the odd men out."

The greatest irony of Stewart's omission is that his wife will still be going to Spain.

"I booked a holiday for her in case I made the 22. She will still go, but I'll stay behind to do some decorating."

There is plenty of experience for Stein to call upon, especially from the quartet of McGrain (32), Kenny Dalglish (31) Joe Jordan and Alan Rough (both 30). They have 245 caps between them.

Scotland's final 22 for Spain with ages and caps is.

ALAN ROUGH (Partick Thistie), 39 yrs., 48 caps. Scotland's most of the Year" in 1881, Rough possesses, razor sharp reflexes. He has been with his part-time professional club for thirteen years.

Jim LEGINTON (Aberdeen), 23, Jim Legion of the Scots under-21 selection.

GEORGE WOOD (Arsenal), 29 yrs. 4 caps. Joined Arsenal from Jennies.

Everton and now understudy of Pat Ironings.

Jennings.

GOGEAIN (Celle), 22

Je. An eps. Captain and right back,

McGrain was prevented from attending the 1978 World Cup by a leginjury, which was complicated by a diabetic complaint. Joining Cettic

in 1987, he has subsequently won every domestic honor including the 1978 Settish Footbalter of the Nea
McGrain is a clever distributor of the ball.

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ALAN HANSEN (Liverpoin), yrs, 14 caps. A clever, ball-playing central defender, Hansen has also represented Sociation at galf, vol-leyball and squash! Originally a winger, he joined Liverpool from Partick Tabistic for 280,000 in 1977. Tracible for two European Coup-tries of the Couper of the Couper of the production of the Couper of the Couper of the two League Championships and two League Cups. His brother, John, is a former Scottish under-23 international.

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JOHN WARK (Ipswich Town), 24 yrs, 15 caps. The Professional Fost-ballers' Association Player of the Year and Europe's Young Fost-baller of the Year in 1881, when he

Stein drops Stewart

and Burns KENNY DALGLISH

Born: March 4, 1951, Glasgow. Clubs: Celtic, Liverpool.

Scottish Lge 1970-74, 1977. Scottish Cup - Celtic: 1971-72, 1974-75, 1977.

none. League Cup — Liverpool: 1981. Champions' Cup — Liverpool: 1978, 1981. European Super Cup — Liverpool: 1977. English Lge - Liverpool: 1979, 1980.

scored a record 13 goals in the UEFA Cap. Wark is at his best when moving, forward purposefully from the middle of the park. His brability is combine successfully with a combine successfully with the talents of the two can be harnessed effectively. Scotland will have a formidable midfield combination.

bination.

GORDON STRACHAN (Aberdeen), 25 vrs. 10 caps. This flame-haired midliceler came to the fore in 1978-80 when Aberdeen wen the Sectifish League Championship and he was proclaimed Footballer of the Year. Possessing abundant skip, only lack of work rate has prevented him from galning a permanent place in the international side.

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Kalman Meszoly will lead Hungary's team in Spain. He answers questions about how the World Cup will develop.

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PHILIP EVANS

"It could be the best tourna-ment of all-time. With 24 teams in the field, there will be plenty of colour, variety of styles, and possibility of sur-prises. I cannot see any team dominating the tournament, but there are several above-average sides: The standard of football should be very high.

Will the South Americans play a leading part in the World Cup?

We saw the Brazilians in Europe a few months ago, and they created a very facuorable impression. They certainly have a strong team, better than their 1978 combination. Argentina are not at their best yet, but they will improve. Maradona is a considerable plus, but he is not the finished article yet.

Football is losing its popularity as a spectator sport what are the reasons?

what are the reasons?

It is up to the players and the conches to bring about changes. The game must be more interesting in about changes. The game must be more interesting the player of the players would have more room in which to create goal-scoring chances. I know that none them, and nothing ever happens.

How do you see the future of the game?

of the game?

We must have changes! We must improve football as an entertainment, otherwise the world-wide decline in attendances will continue. We must change. Forget about results and play open, attacking football — should be our motto. I know that changes cannot be instituted overnight, but they must come. However, I must confess! am not an optimist, I do not expect miracles. The World Cup Finals are very important, in front of the watching millions, the game must regain its appeal and popularity!



Poor Glen Dods: he'll

be chasing the

Ukrainian Gazelle

By PAUL MOON

Traditionally Soviet national sides are dull, unimaginative and stereotyped. Generally results have been equally dreary, for despite having almost four and a half million registered soccer players to call upon, their overall international record is unimpressive.

Never have they been con-sidered as potential World Cup winners. Never, that is, until

Suddenly Russia is being universally proclaimed as the tournament's dark horse following its stupendous form of the past year.

The Soviets appear to be powerful in all departments, but it is to lethal striker-cum-left-winger Oleg Blokhin that they will be looking for the spark of genius to inspire a triumph in Spain.

Born in Klev on October 5, 1952, Blokhin always was destrined for a sporting career. His mother was one of Russia's top athletes, gaining national titles in the 100 metres hurdles, while his father was a useful footballer and is now employed by the Ukrainian federation as a coach and technical advisor.

At first it appeared that young Oleg would step into his mother's spiked shoes. Men instead of the spike of the spike of the spike of the spiked shoes. Well his soon switched to soccer, whilst Borzov went on to claim two gold medals in the 1972 Munich Olympic Games.

It was in the Olympiad that Blokhin too announced his presence to the world, scoring six goals for a team which shared third place. This immediately upon graduating from the Soviet youth side!

That same year he was the domestic league's top roalscorer and Footballer of the Year, a double to be repeated in the following season.

On the international scene Blokhin gained little further attention until Dynamo Klev's European Cup Winners' Cup

European Cup Winners' Cup winners' Cup wincess of 1975 thrust him into the sporting headlines.

"The Ukrainian Gazelle" was irresistible during that campaign, scoring four goals on the way to a final in which demolished Ferencvaros with a masterful display and netted twice during a 3-0 win. This enabled Kiev to challenge Champions' Cup holder Bayern Munich for the Super Cup. The Russians won 3-0 and Blokhin grabbed all three!

When Europe's leading soccer journalists were called upon to name the Continent's "Footballer of the Year" there was little doubt who their choice would be. Dynamo's hero finished 80 votes clear of second placed Franz Beckenbauer.

The Kiev club now was

The Kiev club now was being chosen en bloc for Rus-sia's national team. As a result no fewer than 85 appearances



The great Oleg Blokhin sprints past Czech



New Zealand full back Glen Dods of Adelaide City

were made during a 12-month

were made during a 12-month period.

Life for Blokhin and his Klev

— USSR travelling circus teammates was an endless succession of unfamiliar air-ports and dressing rooms. Away from their families for months on end, it was little wonder that their form became jaded.

Such was the decline that

became jaded.

Such was the decline that the man who gained 122 votes in the quest to find 1975's top European player attracted just three in the next poll.

Blokhin was further hin-dered by Soviet mistrust of "superstars" and the inability of his coaches to adequately harness the skills of their nat-ural matchwinner.

It was four years before he regained his old confidence and enthusiasm. Coached by the sympathetic Konstantin Beskov, aided and abetted in attack by the superb Ramaz Shengelia, another striker of excellent quality, he enjoyed a fruitful World Cup qualifying series, scoring six goals, most of them spectacular efforts. His return to peak form was confirmed by selection for the World XI in a UNICEF benefit game.

contrined by selection for the world XI in a UNICEF benefit game. Blokhin possesses abundant ball skills and a stunning shot, particularly with his left foot but speed remains his greatest asset, being able to clock 10.8 seconds for the 100 metres. Already holding the Soviet records for most goals in league soccer and internationals, he obviously has a lot more goals up his sleeve. Nominally a left winger, Blokhin drifts into threatening positions at will and presents a potential nightmare to Adelaide City Juventus full be asked to directly mark him in Malaga.

After the World Cup the Russian superstar would like to join a club in the West and cities Real Madrid, New York Cosmos and Liverpool as his favored potential destinations. The Russian federation though remains lukewarm on the idea, particularly as it would mean that not one, but two of the country's sporting heroes would be in exile.

Blokhin recently married world champion gymnast Irina Deryugina. Perhaps these two athletics will produce another international sports personality in the family tradition.



and Lubanski Poland's most important figure is Grzgorz Lato the 1974 World Cup's top scorer

seven goals.

He has been converted from a striker to midfielder and has ecome the schemer of the national side.

Now 31, and with Lokeren in Belglum, Lato is particularly belpful to the younger members of the squad, like Matysik (19), Skrobowski (20) and Iwan (22) as well as to the new star Smolarek (24).

Lato is also about to break two Polish records currently held by the two men: Deyna (102 internationals) and Lubanski (50 inter-national goals). In Leipzig last October, Lato, who has scored 44 goals, played in his 95th international

In the World Cup in Spain he can break both records and become the number one hero of Polish football.

Grzegorz Lato

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Lato poised to beat Deyna



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Arab Brazilians is the way Kuwaiti soccer players are more and more frequently described.

cribed.

And no wonder, the small Gulf Sheikdom's soccer set up has been under the almost total control of Brazilian coaches and experts for a number of years now.

Consequently, their style is reminiscent of the champion South Americans.

"Many so-called underdogs have served up huge shocks in previous World Cups and we

intend to create something of a intend to create something of a sensation ourselves," manager Carlos Alberto Pereira he 39-year-old Brazillan supremo in charge of Kuwait, predicts. Incidentally, he is no relation of the other Carlos alberto, who captained Brazil to the World Cup gold medal in 1970.

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the World Cup gold medal in 1970.

This Carlos Alberto has coached in Ghana and with top Brazillan club Vasco de Gamalo for the 1974 World Cup chalenge. Fourth placing at that time meant failure and firing to both him and his boss and both of them set up shop in Kuwalt.

time meant tailure and irrup and for both him and his boss and both of them set up shop in Kuwait.

Gar Alberto stayed on a for Zagalo returned home three years ago; helped out by a corps of Brazillans in almost all major positions.

It is a major challenge, but with obvious compensations, with the Kuwaitis ensuring that "their" Brazillans are among the best paid in the soccer world.

The world started to take notice in the Moscow Olympics, when even eventual champions Czechosłovakia could only manage a goalies, when even eventual champions Czechosłovakia could only manage a goalies of the started to the country of the country o



England captain

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Chile — Gaston Castro
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1982 finalists in capitals

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TALY		36	20	6	10	62	40
Mexico		24	3	4	17	21	
Uruquay		29	14	5	10		39
ARGENTINA		29	14	5	10	55	43
UNGARY		26	13	2	11	73	42
Sweden		28	11	6	11		48
RANCE		20	8	1	11	43	38
NGLAND		24	10	6	8	34	28
UGOSLAVIA		25	10	5	10		34
ZECHOSLOVAKIA		22	8	3	11	32	36
witzerland		18	5	2	11		44
		9	1	1	7	12	
ELGIUM			7	3			25
		18			8		
HILE		18	7	3	8		24
COTLAND		11	2		5	12	21
USTRIA		18	9	1	8	33	36
lolland		16	8	3	5	32	19
umania		8	2	1	5	12	17
ulgaria		12	0	4	8	9	29
OVIET UNION		19	10	3	6	30	21
OLAND		14	9	1	4	27	17
ERU		12	4	1	7	17	25
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olivia	2	3	0	0	3	0	16
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USA — David Socha USA — David Socha USSR — Miroslav Stupar Yugoslavia — Damir Map finalists Chile draw 0-0 with Italian club side Inter riendly soccer match in Santiago last week. ets West Germany, Austria and Algeria in the first atches in the World Cup finals.

By PETER SCOTT

strikers move up as far as pos-sible without going offside, looking for long balls out of defence.

of the defence.

One of the three key men is Jamal Sultan Yacoub, a teacher in private life, but more renowned for the danger posed by his headers and long, accurate shots on the soccer field. He is considered arguably the best Asian soccer player.

Then there is "The Gazel-le", otherwise known as Falsal Fhati Kamil, 183 centimetres tall and a winger of incredible

speed, who normally earns his living as an Army officer. The third member of this trio is Abdel Aziz Al-Anbarl, a striker with the ability to let loose with thunderous shots from all angles.

Skipper Yacoub believes that no team can be certain of beating Kuwait.

"If we score the first goal, our defence becomes almost impregnable. We won't come home from Spain without any points in our bag," he predicts.

For Kuwait the Mundial is more than just a football tour-



Alberto

nament, it is an opportunity to appear on the world stage. The nation which, on a per capita basis, is one of the wealthlest on the globe, will send a folk dance group and a mobile exhibition to Spain, as part of its

It will be an opportunity to show off Kuwait, but the key men in the plan will still be their highly paid Brazilians!



Ahmed Al Tarabulsi

ENGLAND 4-1,1-1

World Cup's finalist England beat Finland 4-1 (half time 2-0) in friendly international in Helsinki, after drawing 1-1 with Iceland Reykjavik. Socrers: Finland: Kal Hasskivi (BOTH MIN PENALTY) England: Paul Mariner (14th and 82nd), Bryan Robson (27th

and soth).
Attendence: 21,421.
Ageinst Iceland, substitute Paul Godderd equalised after
England had fallen behind.

Peru leaves out Chumpitaz

Former Peruvian captain Hector Chumpitaz, veteran of two World Cups, is an absentee from the squad by manager Elba De Padqua in Lima for the campaign in Spain starting next month. Chumpitaz is suffering from an injury. Also out of the squad of 22 because of an injury is lett back Roberto Rojas.

left back Roberto Rojas.
Right winger Geronimo

Barbadillo, who has not yet been released by his Mexican club, is included and will join his team-mates for a last warm-up match in West Germany.

Peru is drawn in Group One of the finals with Italy, Poland and Cameroun.

The squad is: GOALKEEPERS: Ramon Quiro-

alma Duarte, Ruben Toris
bacar Arizaga, Salvador Si
Biguel Guitierrez, Jorge Ola
MIDFIELD: Cesar Cuert
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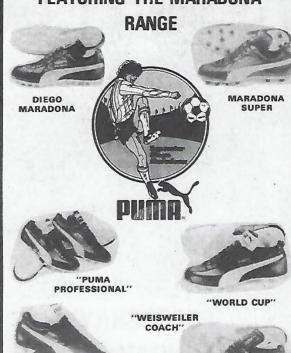
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England pushes for new rules

England has reminded all of those in-volved in professional soccer that entertainment is the name of the game.

name of the game.

English proposals to reform some of the rules are made to increase the entertainment value of soccer.

The three men on the rules reform committee, Sir Matt Busby, Jimmy Hill and Bobby Charlion, all have been advocates of entertaining soccer.

Charlton performed that way, as a player, Sir Matt produced exciting entertaining teams at Manchester United, and Hill has sought entertainment continually as a club manager, administrator and public figure.

Hill, particularly, has

Hill, particularly, has sought to outlaw the cynical professional foul which so often can rob a team of a goal and the spectators of the thrill such a goal can bring.

Hill constantly has sought ways to increase the chances of goals being scored.

It was this proposition last year which led to the adoption by the English Football League that away teams be granted three points for a win.

Another one of Hill's pet hates has been the back pass to the goalkeeper which his com-mittee now also proposes to penalise by awarding a free-



Mike Johnson

kick from where the back pass

kick from where the back pass was made.
This, plus the proposition that a penalty be awarded for a professional foul on an attacker approaching gool, obviously would deter both the cynical foul and the time was the proposition of the cynical foul and the time was the proposal that there be no offsides from any goal kick by the goalkeeper would effect be game by causing goalkeepers to abandon the thrown hall which produces the composed build-ups which European countries like.
Instead you would get the punt down field to pockets of players grouped like Aussie Rules players close to goal. I do not favour that change. The English Football case of course, has to have the proposed changes ratified, first by the FIFA and then by the English Football Association which runs soccer in England.
However, as important as the proposed changes are in

in England.

However, as important as the proposed changes are in themselves, their significance

is wider for the game as a whole.

whole.

They signify the dire need to bring more entertainment value back to soccer. Stopping opponents from playing soccer well is far easier than playing well your-

easier than playing well your-self.

This is the case whether you stop people from playing with continual back passing in the back four or to the goalkeeper, putting a massed defence around your goal, or playing violently with cynical tackling.

violently with cynical tackling. There always will be winners and losers and the winners always will tend to draw better crowds than the losers, but it is how the game is played within that scenario that counts.

It can be played within and atmosphere of creativity and excitement or within one of caution and fear — fear of the sack, fear of relegation.

Coaches giways will be

Coaches always will be sacked, teams will be relegated, whether we play exciting, entertaining soccer or not.

Some have to win, some have to lose.

But the difference is the spectators will get much more entertainment value while watching the season's dramas infold

unfold.

These columns the very obvious fact that spectators are deserting soccer throughout the developed world.

The reasons for this are as varied as the numerous options open to people today to spend their free time and free dollars.

spend their free time and rod dollars.

The only way to retain today's soccer supporter and keep him coming back is to give him entertainment, ex-citement and other emotional satisfaction which winning alone no longer can provide.

It was 1966 when Sir Alf Ramsey, coach of England, said: "the entertaining is in the winning".

That was 16 years ago

nat was 16 years ago.

The developed world has changed greatly in that time and will continue to exercise more discretion when choosing how it will seek family entertainment.

Soccer administrators, coaches, players and all those involved in the game professionally will ignore these changed social attitudes at their peril.

The writing has been on the wall for several years now and at last one nation, the home of soccer, is starting to take some notice of it.

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Monday.

Newcastle and Adelaide City will have a day's rest as their league game is on Saturday at the International Sports Centre.

Wollongong, whose opponents are APIA in the league and Sydney City in the Cup, may lose its talented coach Ken Morton, who has had a lucrative offer from a first division club in Saudi

Arabia.

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Morton sald: "The Saudi Arabian salary is \$129,000 for six months.

"It seems my abilities are more appreciated in the Middle East than in Australia."

Morton, a former Manchester United starlet under Sir Matt Busby, was to fly to Singapore this week for an interview.

"There is nothing extraordinary about the salary I would accept if I get another contract here, and my wife and family would prefer to stay.

"However, time s running out, so I must have either an offer or advice that I will not be wanted for next season," he added.

Of one point Morton is certain.
"Australian soccer fans are blissfully unaware of how far the PSL has come in its five and a half years' existence," he said.
"Australian clubs could take on most English second and third division sides and show up to advantage in spite of being partimers."

timers."
Wollongong's brilliant centre back Arno Bertogna is in superb form, luckily so as he has to face APIA's Marshall Soper on Sunday and Sydney City's John Kosmina on Monday. Sydney City may use both Agenor Muniz and Ken Boden in Monday's Cup match.

Both have recovered from injuries. Boden has been bothered by ankle and knee problems, whereas Muniz had a knee operation last Sentember.

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Heidelberg-Alexander dropped a bombshell last week in transfer-listing former Socceroo captain Jimmy Rooney, Ken Taylor, Andrew Borikas and Tom Tasevski as the first step towards a major rebuilding programme.

At least one player is on the way from England, and Heidelberg last week signed winger or midfielder Mike Valentine, 19, from Victorian First Division club Box Hill. Valentine joined Box Hill juniors from Nunawading City and progressed through various Victorian State Junior teams, the State youth side and the State schoolboys' team to Box Hill's senior eleven three years ago.

He scored nine goals for Box Hill last year and had scored five when he switched clubs last week.

Rooney is available for 57000, Boxikas for \$7500 and Taylor for \$10,000.

With Taylor and Rooney out of the side former full hack-

\$10,000.

With Taylor and Rooney out of the side, former full back
Charlie Yankos now is playing in midfield, with Jim Tansey back

in defence.

Heidelberg must beat St George in the PSL Match of the Day (Channel 0/28 on Sunday night) if it hopes to renew its challenge for a place in the top four.

And on Monday, it meets arch-rival South Melbourne Hellas in the Cup at Middle Park.

Carl Holford made his debut for Hellas as a substitute for injured Alun Evans against Wollongong, and may hold his place against Heldelberg.

David Jones, transferred from Hellas to Makedonia for \$10,000 last week, faces Brisbane City's young Steve Glockner in Brisbane, and then fronts up probably against Millan Kojle in the local Cup derby against Footscray JUST at Connor Reserve on Monday.

the local Cup derby against Footscray JUST at Connor Reserve on Monday.

Makedonia has played poorly away from home all season and there's little reason to expect otherwise in Brisbane.

And the Cup match won't be easy elther. JUST has lost only twice in 11 games and although the balance is made up mainly of draws, JUST jayeling with great spirit and its talent is undoubted. In fact, JUST played so well last Sunday that it should have beaten St George in Sydney.

Alan Sunderland of Arsenal has added bite to the Brisbane Lions attack. He scored both goals against West Adelaide and, aided by young Danny Wright, Ron Milman and Billy Williamson, he's sure to terrorise JUST on Sunday and Brisbane City on Monday.

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But the newcomer who will attract most of the publicity is Liverpool's million-dollar man Craig Johnston who plays his first guest game for Newcastle against Adelaide City on Saturday.

It was not known when we went to press whether he also would play in the Cup against Marconi but play or not, Newcastle appears to have turned the corner after its 41 victory over Sydney Olympic.

Marconi's midfield combination of Tony Henderson, Roberto Vieri and Tom McCulloch, boosted in confidence by that amazing 7-1 thrashing of APIA, should drive it to victory over Canberra in their league match at Bruce Stadium, but it won't be as easy this time.

And West Adelaide will be hell-bent on taking up where it left

their league match at Bruce Stadium, but it won't be as easy this time.

And West Adelaide will be hell-bent on taking up where it left off before last week's loss to Brisbane Lions when it meets South Melbourne Hellas at home on Sunday. Let's remember West beat the Victorians in the first round.

But the league match with the greatest appeal appears to be Sydney City v Sydney Ollympic at the Sydney Athletic Field.

Olympic has been in the horrors since that 1-4 loss to Makedonia five weeks ago, whereas Sydney City has been getting better and better, so much so that it now is firm favorite to win its third successive championship.

This is Olympic's last chance to stay in touch with the leaders. If it loses, it could slip as many as three places on the ladder.

Weekend matches with likely winners in capitals:

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NEWCASTLE KB UNITED v Adelaids City Juventus at International Sports Centre, Saturday, Jam.

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IN SYDNEY
APIA-Leichhardt v WOLLONGONG at Lamb

pm.
SYONEY CITY HAKOAH v South Melbourne Hellas at Hin-marsh Stadium, Sunday 2.30pm.
BRISBANE
BRISBANE CITY v Preston Makedonia at Spencer Park unday 3pm. IN MELBOURNE FOOTSCRAY JUST v Brisbane Lions at Schi

ınday 3pm. Heidelberg-Alexander v St George Budapest (draw) at Olympic illage, Sunday 3pm.

IN CANBERRA
Canberra City v MARCONI-DATSUN at Bruce
unday 3pm.

unday 3pm. PHILIPS CUP
(all games Monday)
IN MELBOURNE
SOUTH MELBOURNE HELLAS v Heidelb rk, 3pm. Makedonia v FOOTSCRAY JUST at Connor Reserve,

PM.

IN SYDNEY
APIA-Leichhardt v SYDNEY OLYMPIC at Lambert Park, 3
IN BRISBANE
Brisbane City v BRISBANE LIONS at Spencer Park, 3pm.
IN ADELAIDE
WEST ADELAIDE HELLAS v Adelaide City Juventus at Imarah, 2.30pm.

IN NEWCASTLE NEWCASTLE KB UNITED v Marconi-

Wollongong v SYDNEY CITY HAKOAH at Wollongong Sho ounds, 3om.

rounds, 3pm. IN CANBERRA

CANBERRA CITY v St George Budapest at Bruce Stad







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Bertogna pillar of strength

By PHILIP MICALLEF

Wollongong 1 SM-Hellas 0

Courbon: Willia Both.

VOLLORGONG: Preston 7

Willia 6, Bartogne 8, Answorth 7, Dunleavy 7 - Gaffinke 8, Cotton 6, O'Connor 7.

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LAS: Laumets 6 - Bennett 6,
Blair 7, Xanthopoulos 7, Stevenson 8 - Shira 6, Stevenson 8. Rogers 6 - Egen 6,

Evans (Holfard 24th 7), Campbell 6.

Manager Tommy Docherty and every reason to be sorry for the Hellas players who matched Wollongong but finished on the losing end.

"We did enough to deserve a draw," said Docherty, "but that is football." was somewhere the solid property of the soli

foul by Alan Dayment of Connor himself.
Davidson played magnificently in defence and with Steve Blair slotted the Wolves' dangermen O'Connor and Roy Cotton out of the game.
The Wolves were best served in defence by Arno Bertogna who again was a pillar of strength.
The whole back four were in outstanding form and Hellam and only two clear-cut chances, both falling to Charlle Egan. ces, both falling to ename Egan.
First he shot wildly over the bar from two metres and

midway through the second half he saw goalkeeper Jim Preston make a fine double

save.

The Wolves were a shade better in the first half and Cotton should have scored with a rising shot that just missed the crossbar.

the crossbar.
After the interval Helias surged forward with more urgency but never looked like piercing a solid Wolves rear-

piercing a solid Wolves rear-guard.
Substitute Carl Holford worked hard but found little support.
Wolves manager Ken Morton said: "South Mel-bourne attacked more but we were tactically the better si-de."



Kevin Mullen

Makedonia 0 Svd. Cltv 5

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Scorers: Koamine 68th 8

88th; Barnes 13th, Murray
30th, Spanos 79th.
Venue: Connor Reserve.
Crowd: about 3800.
Referee: Don Campbell 9.
Cautions: Mullen (Sc),
Brown (Mark), Bole (Mark),
Boech (Mark), Flevell (Mark).
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Ittle 6 - Cullen 6, Ward 6,
Brown 6.
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SYDNEY CITY HAKOAH: SYDNEY CITY
Clarke 7 - Mullen 9, O'Connor 8, Robertson 9, Cant 8 Spanos 8, Borges 7, Barnes 7
(Watson 70th) - Murray 10,

Bobby Flavell, former Scottish international and star of Airdrie, summed it

up perfectly: "Sydney City is the best team I've seen here. They're by far the best. They're in a class of their own."
Flavell is in Australia to visit his son Gordon who-played in the unfortunet Makedonia team that should not have bothered to go out onto the pltch at Connor Reserve last Sunday.
Makedonia was outplayed completely.

Makedonia was outplayed completely. It couldn't match Sydney City in any department. All that could be said in praise (?!) of Makedonia's performance was that David Jones and Steve Beech tried hard to control the men they were assigned to mark — David Mitchell and John Kosmina.

Even so, Kosmina managed to wriggle clear of Beech at least three times, scoring twice and having a header

saved one-handed by goal-keeper Steve Petter.
Willie Murray is the man who did Makedonia most damage. This frail, almost anaemic winger, had his progress at Sydney City interrupted by injury but on Sunday he showed the form that made him a star professional in Scotland for 11 seasons.

His skill is quite unbelievable. He can turn a defender virtually inside out.

Joe Watson, the other flanker, was on the wing on Sunday but in Murray's view, there is room in the team for both of them. If he's right, we could see a forward line of Watson, Kosmina, Mitchell and Murray, with any number of combinations for the two midfleld spots — Barnes and Souness (when fit), Barnes and Spanos, Barnes and Muniz (when fit etc etc.

Ken Boden is yet to return

as well. Coach Eddle Thomson hopes to use both Boden and Agenor Muniz in the Philips Cup match against Wollongong on Monday. But back to last Sunday.

No team in the league is as adept at attacking from defence. Kevin Mullen, the right back, played virtually as a winger, as did Jim Cant on the other side. But Mullen was the more active. In fact he was ubiquitous!

ubiquitous!

Steve O'Connor found time and space to go forward as well, which was quite OK, because Alex Robertson could handle the entire Makedonia attack on his own!

You had to feel sorry for poor Robble Cullen. He kept plugging away, but invariably, he'd be confronted by Robertson who beat him so regularly it became monotonous.

Anyway, with Mullen, Cant, O'Connor plus the midfielders surging forward into Makedonia's crowded half, the game developed into a meeting between cultured professionals and raw amateurs.

Makedonia's forwards were unable to check the attacking raids of Mullen and Cant,



neither were those two picked up when they got within the precincts of the midfield.

That power from the back was one of the main reasons for Sydney City's devastating

Makedonia had Ljube Pet-rovaki and George Toderovaki back after Injury, Rebbie Cullen in piace of Claude Luc-chest up front and Jonea in for his first game after transfer-ring from Hellas for \$10,000.

Now Makedonia may move into the transfer market again, there was some talk that the club may bid for Heldelberg's transfer-listed midfielder Ken Taylor, but that remains to be

Ken Wilson of Sydney Olym-pic remains a favorite of coach Peter Olierton, so maybe some approach may be made in that direction.

in that direction.

Murray Barnes, back after a tong lay-off due to injury, scored Sydney Cliv's first goal in a close-range melee in the 13th minute and there was a notifying during swhich. Todder the control of the clear just in front of his line, before Murray ran in on the right side to score No.

Doug Brown had a few promising runs and shots before Sydney City cut loose after half time, scoring its third through John Kosmina who ran onto a pass into space who ran onto by Murray.

Spanos goaled from what certainly was an offside posi-tion before Kosmina rounded it off at 5-0.

Kosmina, with 13 goals, now is the top scorer in the league.

Sunderland's two pena Lions coach Joe Gilroy made a bold move when he dropped his two leadings scorers for the game, Ron Miliman and Billy Williamson. Williamson left the ground after the team was announced only a little more than an hour prior to kick-off. Millman sat on the bench and came on in the second half to replace an injured Craig Low. But Gilroy's faith in voung-

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Scoraz, BL: Sunderland
37th and 41st pan; WA: Honeyman 83rd penalty.
Venue: Richlands Stedium.
Crowd: 3281.
Caution: Dunn 71st.
Referee: Col Amos 4.
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McSkimmings 8, Bennett 7,
Ferris 7, Niven 7, Burns 7,
Atmore 8, Ogden 8, Low 6
[Milliana 75th), Wright 8, Sunderland 8.

defiand 8.
WEST ADELAIDE: Crook 7,
McGregor 7, Totsikas 7,
McGachey 8, Dunn 8, McKie
8, Heys 8, Atsalas 7, Brennan
7, Honeyman 8, Brown 7.

Arsenal striker Alan Sunderland scored a penal-ty and gave away another in his debut for Brisbane Lions against West Adel-aide Helias at Richlands,

And both penalty decisions were given in controversial circumstances which proved

only to blacken the reputation of Queensland match officials. Sunderland had a fine debut, doing what he is paid for scoring goals. His first came after 36 minutes when he received a glorious bail from Australian youth squad member Danny Wright who had run 30 metres and beaten three players. Sunderland cut the ball back, beating another three players and experity slotted in wide of Martyn Crook.

But his second goal, from the penalty spot, is one which he no doubt would be the first to admit should have been given to fullback Bob McSkim ming.

McSkimming brilliantly had

ming.

McSkirmming brilliantly had headed in a John Ogden cross, beating Crook, with McGregor diving in to punch it away but only managing to palm the ball into the roof of the net.

Rather than let the goal stand, Amos to everyone's amazement, awarded a penalty. Not only had the ball gone into the net but McGregor had not touched it until after it had crossed the goaline, as television replays and newspaper photographs proved.

But even looking at it from Amos' point of view, if it was a deliberate handball, who wasn't the player booked?

Sunderland was elected take the penalty and although the scored, his shot only swant the player booked?

Tour minutes after the goal, Amos again was howled down by the crowd when he disallowed a John Ogden goal, ruling Sunderland had fouled Crook in prior play. Personalty, I considered it was a 50-50



Ricky Rosso

ball to the near post and Sunderland should not have been
penalised for Crook being injured when he dived at the striker's feet to block the inevitable shot.

Amos made it a hat-trick of
weird decisions when seven
minutes from time he ruled
Sunderland had fouled McKie
when he went to head the ball
out of the penalty box. To me it
looked as if the Adelaide
player had not timed his jump
as well as the Englishman and
the fact that he fell away in the
challenge was due to his inpenness rather than Sunderland the state of the state of the
consolation goal from that
penalty but only just, putting it
wide of Nigel Lowndes, who although getting his fingertips to
the ball, was unable to deflect
its path.

The constant stoppages pre-

the ball, was unable to deflect its path.

The constant stoppages prevented the game from becoming entertaining but both sides showed some good work in the middle of the park. Some of West Adelaide Hellas' build-up in particular were impressive but they lacked penetration up front.

to replace an injured Craig Low. But Gilroy's faith in youngster Danny Wright was rewarded and the Llons junfor product had a big game and can enly benefit from playing alongside Sunderland. Lions goalkeeper Nigel Lowndes was again outstanding and one save a one-handed palm over the crossbar off a Honeyman freekick was sheer brilliance. For West Adelaide, Neil McGachey controlled everything from the back and was ably supported by Rob Dunn who did a creditably job trying to contain Sunderland.

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Under 16s back, tut, tut Tony . . .



TIM WHITE Victorian coaching director

The 1982 National Under 16 Championships will be held at Penrith, Sydney, in the first week of September.

ney, in the first week of September.

The championships in this age group were not interested in 1881 for economic reasons due to the staging of the World Youth Championships in Australia.

Boys playing in this age group are in a crucial era of their sporting life as they are or are about to go through transition period from junior to senior soccer.

The Under 16 championship always has been an important fixture on the soccer calendar but recently the occasion has taken on more significance.

The reason for this is Australia's involvement in the World Youth Championship.

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Boys competing in this year's titles will be at the forefront for selections to the 1985 Australian Youth team.

Added to this is the opportunity for the boys to also put themselves in the forefront for selections for future intakes into the Australian Institute of Sport.

The qualifying birth-date for the 1982 under 16 championships is on or after January 1986.

I will be the coach of the Victorian team and I will start preparation on Saturday June 19 at 10 am at Middle Park.

I do not intend holding open trials as I do not believe in subjecting boys to unmecessary disappointments.

I would like club coaches spontiments.

I would like club coaches selection.

The qualifying birth date for the 1985 World Youth Cup is on or after August 1 1985 and this date will be the date for the 1883 Australian National Youth Titles.

Therefore some boys whose birth date is between 18-85 and 11-86 will not qualify for the 1982 Under 16 titles but will qualify for the 1983 youth titles.

Club coaches should note the above dates as they could be of great significance to some of their younger players.

While on the subject of young players and national titles, I must express my dismay at the lack of coaches from Philip League clubs at the recent titles in Canberra.

Some of the best 17 and 18 year old players in the country were on show and the only coaches 1 saw from top clubs were George Murray (Canberra City) and Paul Blanco (Sydney City) who was here in his official capacity as Assistant National Youth Team Coach.

This is the era of spiralling transfer fees, and the ever-topical subject of import/export players is constantly discussed, so one expects that coaches would average free, and the ever-topical subject of import/export players is constantly discussed, so one expects that coaches would average free, and the ever-topical players.

"Captain Socceroo" is

soccer players. As a result Marconl player Tony Henderson, in his role of "Captain Socceroot" is becoming a cult figure with junior players.

Well, I sincerely hope all our young players were well tucked up in bed on Sunday night when "Match of the Day" between Marconl and APIA was being shown.

Our hero "Captain Socceroo" was gullty not only of two-fingereed setures to the crowd but also an even more disgusting gesture with his right hand as he retreated into the penalty area, all of which were in complete contrast to the type of behavior one would expect from the young players hero.

I would suggest an apology is in order for our young viewers from Tony Henderson before he becomes known as "Captaila Soccerude".

Byrne v Campbell

Heidelberg 1 Canberra 2

Scorers: 0-1 Gibson 5th, 1-1 Cole 61st, 1-2 Gibson 68th. Ground: Olympic Village. Crowd: 3500. Cautions: Nii

Cautions: NI Reforce: D. Velland 8. HEIDELBERG: Olver 6, McMillan 7, Yzendoorn 6, Maclood 7, Yansay 6, Sele-midts 6, Yankos 8, Campbell 6, Beklairis 6 IVelantine G3rdl, Cole 6, Paton 6. CANBERRA: Hoszowski 6, Ontong 7, Milovanovic 7, T. Syrne 6, Ambrosino 6, McLa-ren 6, Christopoulos 7, Byrne 7, Gibson 7, Purdie 6, Brannan 6, (Stone 80th).

Len McKendry conceded that Charlle Yankos may never be in the same class as Jimmy Rooney as a midfielder but the Heidelberg coach feit he could not keep Yankos out of the side on form and used him in the middle of the park alongside Jim Campbell and Theo Selemidis on Sunday.

and Theo Selemidis on Sun-day.

"Jimmy Rooney was dropped purely on perform-ance. He is finding it hard to accept but his game has been down in recent weeks." McKendry said.

Whereas the coach took full responsibility for axing Rooney from the side, he washed his hands of the former Socceroo's transfer-listing.

Rooney officially was placed on the market on Friday night after discussions with president Sam Goulopou-

Canberra.

Chris Bekiaris had his shot blocked after taking too long to control a square pass in front of an open goal.

And Garry Cole amazingly missed the ball completely.



Peter Desira

with his swing for a simple tap-in after he had done all the hard work in leaving two Canberra players in his wake and rounding the keeper. Canberra took advantage of the reprieve and scored in its first foray.

Irist Ioray.

Tony Brennan's cross fell for Don McLaren, his shot was blocked by Don Macleod but the ball came to Ian Gibson who made no mistake from close range.

After the early flurry, the match fizzled out and it wasn't until the 61st minute that Heidelberg brought it back to life with the equaliser.

Jim Tansey won a corner and from the resultant kick taken by Jim Campbell, Gary Cole got a head to the ball in the crowded area to direct it into the net.

The draw didn't last long however as Canberra scored the winner, courtesy of John Yzendoorn only seven minutes later.

later.

Yzendoorn robbed a Canberra player Inside the Heidelberg area, then turned to the left to play his way out of trouble. But in so doing be stepped om the ball and left it behind him, giving lan Gibson full sight of the goal and only keeper Jeff olver to beat.

New signing Mike Valentine made an appearance as substi-tute soon after Heidelberg had levelled.

The win was only Canberra's second in 12 outings between the two clubs

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RALE RASIC

I was amazed and dis-appointed to see coach Doug Collins criticising South Melbourne Hellas's style of play after Olympic had lost to Hellas at Middle Park.

Middle Park.
Collins criticised Helias for
being too negative and playing
too many back passes.
He said he didn't blame
Helias coach Tommy Docherty for this, as Docherty had
not been with the club long

erty for this, as Docherty had not been with the club long enough.

In other words, he inferred that it was previous coach John Margaritis who is responsible for this so-called negative style of play.

He is accusing a man who ran a successful team for more than two years, a team that always dictated play with the same style it still uses. Doug Collins has been having a bad run with Olympic. Fair enough. But instead of criticising other teams, and work hard to bounce back?

A coach never should criticise another's style of play. What suits Hellas may not suit Collins. That's OK. What suits Mediadle City or Footscray JUST, or Sydney City, might'n't suit anyone else. If you don't like a style of play, go out and beat it. If you can't, then that style must be superior to your own. There's no point whinging.

T've had just about as much as I can take of all this talk about attacking and defensive soccer.

don't know what they're talk-ing about.
You attack when you can and you defend when you have to. Results is what it's all about, and in the final analy-sis, you play the way you are able to, depending on the op-presition.

able to, depending on the op-position.
So-called "attractive," en-tertaining soccer" won't double your gates if you don't win. Winning is what it's all about. In that regard, Tommy Docherty must be con-gratulated. He has Helias win-ning games.
So too have Alan Vest at West Adelaide and Frank Arok at St George, And I haven't heard them criticising other teams.

THE ABC will show only one World Cup match live — and that's the final.

Is that all national television can do for a sport which attracts more kids than any other?

Surely the ABC could have slotted in a lot more live cov-

But then, if it presented them the way it has been presenting other recent soccer events, people probably would get so fed up they wouldn't watch it.

Jankovics scores two, makes four

Marconi 7 APIA 1

Ground: Marconi Stadium. Crowd: 7863. Scorers: Jankovics 2, Licata 2, Bozanic pen. Hunter, McCulloch (M), Giampaolo (A)

pen.
Yellow cards: Calderan,
Henderson (M), Soper (A).
MARCONI: Mahar — Bo-zanic 7, Budini 8, Calderan 7,
Prskalo 8, Henderson 8 (Licate 64 — 7), McCulloch 7, Vieri 7, Hunter 8, Jankovicz 9, Silva 1. Hunter 8, Jankovics 3, Siva 1.
APIA: Woodhouse 6, Morsello 51st, 6), Watt 6, Gray 7,
Bradley 8, Pullen 6, Kikelly 6,
McBreen 5, Hughes 5, Kafka
6, Soper 5, Giampaolo 5.

Mark Jankovics was the toast of Marconi after its resounding win over its arch rival APIA Leich-hardt.

It was Jankovics who provided the touch to start this Marconi machine rolling as early as the fifth minute to set up the first of Marconi's seven goals; then he scored the second and had a hand in all but one of the goals to easily win the 'Man of the Match' award.

With five minutes of the first half gone, he was on hand to pick up a clearance just inside APIA's half, race past Pullen and Kilkelly before pushing the ball past Woodhouse for Hunter to score the easiest of goals.

Calderan headed over the Calderan headed over the bar a few minutes later after Woodhouse had missed a cross from the left, then Tony Henderson ran around Woodhouse only to see his shot blocked by a defender APIA had its chance in between Marconi's near misses, after Bradley broke through to face Maher but a brave dive by Maher saw APIA's chance wasted.

With 15 minutes remaining in the half Jankovics broke through again after a clearance by an APIA defender rebounded off Vieri into his path and Jankovics coolly potted the ball over the diving Woodhouse.

A few minutes later Wood-

Svd Olympic 1

Newcastle 4

Newcastle 4

NEWCASTLE: Dands 8,
Curran 7, Treedmick 7, Drinkwar 7, Sreedmick 7, Drinkwar 7, Sreedmick 7, Drinkwar 7, Sreedmick 7, Drinkwar 8, Jones 7, Lowe 8.

SYDNEY OLYMPIC: P.
Wilson 7, Coady 7, Scott 7,
Rogers 7, Ziras 6, Rowden 6,
Rodfern 7, Wilson 6, Koussas
6, Katholos 8, Gavin 6.

Scorers: Stamp (25m),
Subditures: G. Jennings
Horikwater (80m),
Substitutes: G. Jennings
Hor Rowden 56m, Olympic J.
Sankaiski (for Stamp 73m,
Newcastle)
Cowd. 6120.
Cowd. 6120.
Newcastle coach Ken
Kaiser has a problem on his
hands many other coaches
would love to have . . . who do
you drop from a winning team
so that you can give a run to
Craig Johnston?

The 41 victory continued
Newcastle's revival in the



house was injured after a corner kick from the left. He fell awkwardly after missing a cross, injuring his right leg. The game was stopped for five minutes to allow Woodhouse to have his ankle strapped.

In the dying seconds of the first period Vic Bozanic intercepted a pass by lan Gray and sent Mark Jankovics through the middle. David Watt manged to reach Jankovics as he was about to drive it past Woodhouse and pulled him down from behind, conceding a penalty. Bozanic, the man who started the move, finished it expertly from the spot to make it 3-0.

Six minutes into the second half Marconi scored an easy goal after a good move between Vieri, Hunter and Jankovics, with the latter hitting an open goal from some three metres to make it 4-0. Woodhouse, unable to move freely, was replaced by Kilkelly while Tony Morsello came on

Some 10 minutes later, Kil-kelly failed to bold a shot from Jankovics and Licata, with his first touch of the ball, made its 5-0. Seconds later Licata missed a glaring opportunity after some good work by Jan-kovies and Hunter.

It was all Marconi in the It was all Marconi in the closing stage as its players ran into space eager to get the ball. McCulloch made it 6-0, then APIA got one back from the penalty spot before Licata scored from a Budini cross to make it 7-1.

It ended a miserable day for APIA which must be dreading this stadium. Last time APIA visited Marconi it was ham-mered 5-0. This time, no matter what anyone says, Marconi was by far the more

positive side and certainly the one which wanted to win.

positive side and Certainly une one which wanted to win.

Jankovies was in great form and so was Hunter. Prskalo and Calderan were unbeatable at the back while Tony Henderson put on a much Improved showing. For the losers, Bradley was a lonely figure who never stopped trying and he was supported to an extent by Ian Gray.

Dom Kapetanovic, the coach of Marconi, on the losing side for the last three weeks, was relieved. "It knew that they would hammer someone soon. This couldn't have come at a better time for us," said Kapetanovic.



Kondarios grabs late equaliser

By PETER SCOTT

St George 1 JUST 1

Coutions: Reculifie (St. George), Marton (St. George), Marton (St. George).

Although Footscray only managed to salvage one point with a scrambling goal in the dying minutes of this match, it would have been an injustice if the Blues returned south without something to show for their efforts.

Especially in the first half, JUST surprised observers by taking the match right to the Salars, torgetting all about the usual dogma of reinforced defences away from home.

In fairness, the St. George squad was depleted by the absence through injury of the rireless midfield dynamo Mark Barton. In addition, the much maligned Paul Wilkin-

riveless midfield dynamo Mark Barton. In addition, the much maligned Paul Wilkinson. The modern of t

his drive deflected off the foot of the desperately stretching Ciric.

But Jim Kondarios capitalised on a pathetic goalmouth scramble to head home Footscray's equaliser with only three minutes left on the clock.

clock.

A major disappointment of the fixture was the display of Dez Marton, who must have played one of his least memorable games since joining the

rable games since Joining the Saints. As for the visitors, whatever happened to the much admired skills of Mendo Ristovski? A fair result in the end, after 90 minutes of entertaining, if not overly skilful, football.



Sergio, look at Hermiston!



Meno Toutsidis

Adel City 2 Brisbane City 0

Scorers: Russell (4th), Flounders (52nd) Cautions: Glockner (Bris City), Northcote (Adel City) Ground; Olympic Sports

Field Crowd: 2,200
Referee: Jim Rossis 8
ADELAIDE CITY JUVEN-TUS: Ferguson 8 — Russell 9, (Manou 70) Banfield 8, Flounders 8, B. Nyskohus 8 — Melta 7, Maroci 8. Northcote 7 — Rankin 7, J. Nyskohus 7,

Melta 7, Maroci 8. Northcote
7 - Rankin 7, J. Nyskohus 7,
Villani 8.
BRISBANE CITY: Pezzano
8 - Perry 9, Hermiston 9,
Tokesi 8, McVeigh 7 - Hamilton 6, Pimblet 7, Carey 7
(Bohan 72nd) - Palinkas 7,
Glockner 7, Cennor 6. Adelaide City under-

ined it's recent good form with a comfortable, though dour 2-0 win over struggling Brisbane City.

The win was Adelaide



Its only success away from home was a 0-0 draw with Newcastle in New-castle on May 8. Brisbane City is slowly

City's fourth of the season
— it's third under new
coach John Perin.
Headed goals from
Bobby Russell (fourth)
minute) and Neville
Flounders (52nd minute)
gave City its first win in
five matches.
Its previous success was
a 3-0 win over South Melbourne in Melbourne in
Melbourne on May 2.
The match did little to
relieve Brisbane City's

relieve Brisbane City's awful away record.

Who will make way for Craig Johnston?

after just four minutes.

Brisbane's best players
were Steve Perry and Jim
Hermiston, both defenders, who pushed forward at
every opportunity but in
the end they had little
impact up front.

City's second goal came
in the \$2nd minute when
Neville Flounders headed
in a corner kick.

It could have had more
goals but goalkeeper Tony
Pezzano did well.

Melta and Villani had
opportunities but stray
shooting let Brisbane of
the hook.

At least coach Nereo

Brisbane City is slowly losing contact with a cluster of teams above it and it will not be able to catch up until it begins winning away from or at least picks up the occasional draw.

Adelaide City assured itself of both points when Bobby Russell jumped at the far post and headed the ball into the far corner after just four minutes.

At least coach Nereo Saftich must have been reasonably pleased with Brisbane's defence.

Apart from HErmiston and Perry, centre back Peter Tokesi did a lot of good work, particularly in the air.

But Hermiston was my

But Hermiston was my pick of the Queenslanders. He looks in superb con-dition, slimmer than I have seen him in the past, and obviously can play for another three seasons or more!

another three seasons or more!
Adelaide coach John Perin must have been wishing that his over-weight and transfer listed Italian import Sergio Marangoni could acquire Hermistion's condition.

Maybe Marangoni should ask Hermiston if he's on a special diet.

Margaritis blasts Docherty

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maybe 30 per cent, and Charlie Egan has been in incredible form.

"I still don't think that Hellas can achieve great success — a premiership, or second-place — unless it changes two or three players. That's what I was saying when I was coach.

"As for Docherty's criticism of Makedonia and of Ollerton's style, how can he criticise other people? We all know Docherty's background, don't we?—How many jobs has he had—12 or 13?

"Ollerton deserves everyone's respect. He's been coaching Makedonia for only a year, it's his first coaching job, and he's done a great job for the club.

"Instead of criticising

club. "Instead of criticising everything, Docherty should turn his attention to promoting Australian soccer while he's here. If he can command so much media space, why doesn't he use it to help build up a few stars?

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By TED SIMMONS

PSL, and with Johnston guesting in four of the coming matches, the Novocastrians could cause some coaches over the next few weeks to get out heir worry beads. Against the run of play, the spindiy-legged Alf Stamp opened the score when he found himself unmarked in the 25th minute in front of the goal with the ball at his feet. He softly pushed with his left foot and hee ball slowly rolled across the line just inside the ingitt upright.

across the line just inside the right upright.

Olympic levelled with five minutes of the half remaining when Redfern crossed from the left, and the ball deflected off Col Curran's foot on to the head of John Sneddon, who had jumped high to clear, and it floated into the top corner of goal.

goal.

The players were hardly warm in the second half and suddenly the match was all over. Australian Youth squad member, David Lowe, collect-

ed the ball from a throw-in, turned and ran 40 metres, beating Scott, Rowden, Ziras and then Peter Wilson to tuck the ball away and give New-castle a 2-1 lead.

Two minutes later, Stamp and Roy Drinkwater combined

in the goal area where Wilson parried the ball to Tredinnick who hammered it away, and the heart dropped out of Olym-pic's game.

With ten minutes remaining, Jones again flicked the ball on and Drinkwater had an easy tap-in from only three metres to seal the issue.

Ball to Bunbury

Alan Ball will travel to the country area of WA on Saturday to play in his last match on a month-long visit of this State. Bunbuny City Soccer Club, lengulahing at the foot of the Third Division table with only one win, has grabbed the soccer headlines from city-based clubs by securing Bell for its clash with Whitfords City in Bunbury on Saturday. It is believed to be the first time in Australia that an international star has played for a club based outside the metropolitan area.

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This week has been a busy one for Ball. On Saturday he played in a State League game for Athena, on Monday he took the pitch for Athena in a second round D'Orsegna Cup match and last night (Tuesday) he played for WA against visiting English club Bournemouth.

- PETER SWEENEY



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Bill McArthur

Duje Zemunik is Melbourne Croatia's answer to Red Adair, the Texan trouble-shooter who made his name in the oil rig

mame in the oil rig
game.

The affable Zemunik is the
man Croatia has used for
years to pig be gaps left by
coaches who either were
pushed off the precipice or
were driven so close to the
edge that they had little choice
but to jump.

Indeed, if you look at the
number of coaching upheavals
at Croatia during just the past
two years you can understand
senior players who shrug their
shoulders in a carefree fashion
when told that their coach is
gone and Zemunik is in charge
for a while.

Croatia probably can lay
claim to an Australian record
in recent times. The whop
been with the club during the
past two years includes John
Gardiner, Rocco Ille, Sleve
Short, Len McKendry, Fred
Bunce, Paddy Bannon and Bill
McArthur. McArthur is the
most recent addition to the
list His refusal to accept a
three-man selection panel last
Friday at training led to his
sacking.

Friday at training led to his sacking. Interspersed among that il-lustrious group is a series of short, sharp bursts of coach-ing, Zemunik-style. Apologies to anyone who has been left out of the list and who qualifies for membership of the Sacked Couch of Creatia the Sacked Coach of Croatia Assocation by virtue of being

CROATIA: Biasby 7 — Curcio 8, okoaka 7, Adams 7, Parton 7 — ulkner 7, Antolovic 7, Murphy 7 Biskic 7, Latif 8, Batinovic 6

P Fauliner 7, Antolovic 7, Murphy 7

- Biskic 7, Latif 8, Batinovic 6
(Bropan 65th)
- NORTHCOTE: Kardamitzis 7

- Petrakos 6, Nelson 7, Provan 7,

Fakos 6

- Koulleksa 6, Wright 7,

Rujavic 6

- Kyriskidis 6 (in). Glavidis 00th), Bozikis 7, Stamboelidis
6 (Pappas H.T. S).

Former Northern Ire-land international striker Colin McCurdy and mid-fielder David Nixon are

due to arrive to play for Northcote this week.

Northcote this week.

McCurdy, 29. ex-Fullman
and Crusaders, toured here
with Northern Ireland two
years ago and played against
Australia in Adelaide.
Nixon, 28, is from Linfeld.
Croatia also hopes to welcome another import next
Tuesday. He is Drago Deankotic, a 23 year old striker from
NK Rijeka.
Duje Zemunik has taken
over as caretaker coach after
Bill McArthur resixned last

Duje Zemunik has taken over as caretaker coach after Bill McArthur resigned last Friday but the talk after Sunday's clash with Northcote was that former Croatia and Australian great Hammy McMeechan, may rejoin the club as coach.

Croatia can thank Ossie Latif for clinching the points on Sunday.

Country boys

The Under 12 Country Representative Team to play the Metro champions at Hood Street, Elwood, on Monday:
From Bendigo. A. Gray. S. From Bendigo. A. Gray. S. Gray. S. Gray. S. Gray. S. Gray. S. Gray. S. Gray. Gra

From. Western Distrcits. S. Materia; Coach: Bernie Shaw; Manager: Ian Treyraud.

Irish international

for Northcote

CROATIA 2 (Latif 2) NORTHCOTE 0

SUNDAY
Helias-Hakoah v Juventus
at Middle Park, 3pm.
George Cross v Frankston
City at Chaplin Reserve, 3pm.
Croydon v Albion Rovers at
Croydon Park, 3pm.
Doveton v Morwell Falcons
at Weratah Reserve, 3pm.
Green Gully Ajax v Northcote at Green Gully Reserve,
3pm.
Crons.

3pm. Croatie v Polonie at Olympic Park No. 1, 3pm. Northcote v Sunshine at John Cain Reserve, 3pm.

John Can Reserve, 39m.
hired by the club in either a caretaker or permanent (if you'll excuse the choice of word) capacity.
Croatia has appointed Zemunik in a caretaker capacity but it is better advised to appoint an undertaker to look after its hopes of winning this year's champlonship. How much longer can its players endure coaching upheavals and stride side by side with reigning champion Ajax

players endure coaching upplayers endure coaching upmat the top of the table?

At least another week, by
my reckoning.

Polonia has captured the
imagination of the State
League followers with its resounding 4-1 drubbing of Juventus and will go into Sunday's crucial top four clash
with Croatia at Olympic Park
chockful of contidence.

My money's on Croatia
though, even without injured
Dave Brogan.

I think little Ossie Latif is
the player who can sway this
battle Croatia's way. He was
at the centre of a tug of way
at the centre of a

It was a far from impressive performance from a side which aspires to the State League championship North-cote, on the other hand, showed a refreshing competitive quality and the Northerners may not be down and out as so many pundits are saying

Northerners may not be down and out as so many pundits are saying Just when the game seemed destined to end in a scoreless draw up bobbed little Latif. He'd just been sent through but young Spiro Kardamitsis had reacted quickly to come out and smother well at Latif's feet. Seconds later though Kardamitsis had no chance. Latif was in possession about 12 metres out on the left side of Northcote's area. To make matters worse for Northcote the ball lay tantalisingly in front of Latif's lethal left foot. The former Kelior Austria stra left fly. The ball rocketed past a startled Kardamitsis inside the near post. 10 to Croatia.

Then just three minutes

Croatia
Then just three minutes
from time it looked like Latif
had given us an action replay
of his first goal. Same place,
same lethal left peg, same result. That made it 2-0 fo
Croatia and to be honest it was
a scoreline which was a trifle
flattering.

Polonia, so close to enticing

Polonia, so close to enticing the exciting youngster in its direction, could regret having him on the opposite side on Sunday.
Young Scottish midfielder Eddie Gray will make his debut for Hellas-Hakoah osunday against Juventus at Middle Park.
The black and whites, smarting from last week's loss, are expected to bounce back with a win.
I'll help their cause by tip-

ting from last week's loss, are expected to bounce back with a win.

1'Il help their cause by tipping Heilas-Hakoah.
George Cross stalwart Billy Wilkinson was meeting the club's committee to decide his future as we went to press.
Coach Tony Vella reported the future as we went press.
Toach Tony Vella report of the club, perhaps in an assistant coaching capacity.
Transfer-listed defender horm Mailtand was being chased by five clubs but it appeared that Northcota and Dandenong City were the front runners.
George Cross faces Frankston at Chaplin Reserve on Sunday and must win to keep alive its dreams of gaining a berth in the State League Cup. English striker Kevil Lloyd, the return of Peter Loughname and Paul Wade and Croydon's bid to sign one of Heidelberg's transfer listed midfleiders glamorise Sunday's Croydon Park clash between Albion Rovers and Croydon. The former Scottish international sunhapps with his team's finishing ability and is confident hat Lloyd can rectify the problem.

problem
Croydon's Ken Kontra at
last is close to fielding a full
strength line-up.
I've gone for Croydon in
what I expect will be a close
fought tussle

John Gardiner hopes to be fit for Sunday's Green Gully Reserve encounter between the home side and Ringwood Wilhelmina.

Wilhelmina has been picking up points consistently but faces its biggest test against top of the ladder Ajax.

Doveton entertains Morwell Falcons at Waratah Reserve on Sunday and as the season unfolds it appears that the Doves are destined to be involved in a bitter struggle to keep clear of the relegation zone.

Their cause won't be helped when Falcons knock them off and they learn that Northcote confounded the critics by hold-ing out for a point against Sun-shine at John Cain Reserve on the same afternoon



Duje Zemunil

Victorian State League with CRAIG MACKENZIE

	H-Hak. V Juve.	G. Cross v Frank. C.	Creydon V Albion	Doves V Felcons	Ajax V R'wood	Nertis. v S'shine	Creatia v Polonia
TIM WHITE	Juve	G. Cross	Draw	Doves	Ajax	Draw	Braw
LAURIE SCHWAB	Juve	G. Cross	Draw	Falcons	Ajax	S'shine	Polonia
CRAIG MACKENZIE	H-Hak.	G. Cross	Creyden	Falcens	Ajax	Draw '	Creatie
BILL VOJTEK	Juve	G. Cross	Croyden	Draw	Ajex	S'shine	Draw

Polish fans flock back, Stefan Mila their hero

POLONIA 4 (Krysinski, V. Bannon o.g., Marshall, Lipiarski) JUVENTUS 1 (Heery pen.)

POLONIA: Ostrowsky 8 – Klain 8, Mila 9, A. Czapnik 7, Pichner 6 – Lipiarski 8, P. Czapnik 8, Tira-bassi 6 (Czolnowski H.T. 6) – Lakic 8, Krysinski 8, Marshall 8.

JUVENTUS: Clayton 6 — V. Bannon 6, P. Bannon 5, Donaldson 5, Hird 6 — Heery 5, Swinscoe 8, Cunningham 6, Incantalupo 5 — McGrory 5 (Ruccla H.T. 5), Zinni 7.

Polonia sweeper Stefan Mila was carried shoulder high off the field by an emotional group of supporters after his team had hammered Juventus 4-1 in the State League match of the day at Raleigh Reserve on Sunday.

Celebrations in the Polonia clubroom carried on far into the night after more than compared home side tear strips off a Juventus defence described by Polonia manager wally Klain as "one of the slowest in the league".

The black and whites though started off at breakneck pace and only a couple of fine saves from Larry Ostrowsky held Juve at bay.

Polonia exploited the break, using the long through ball to devastating effect.

It struck its first telling blow in the 20th minute. Stan Klain switched play to Peter Czapnik on the left. The Polonia midfielder

passed to Iad Krysinski who sidestepped Paddy Bannon and withstood pressure from two other Juve defenders then poked the ball low into the corner of goal from about 10 metres out.

Juve suffered another setback in the 38th minute. Rick Lipiarski beat a defender, lost the ball but tackled and won it back then hammered it hard across the face of the Juve goal. Vince Bannon was charging in and tried to clear but only struck the ball high into the roof of his own net.

In the second minute of overtime in the first half referee Voutsinas pointed to the penalty spot after Michael Pichner had challenged Andrew Zinni. Tony Heery converted to bring the half time score to 2-1.

In the 67th minute big Alex Marshall missed a sitter when clean through but made amends three minutes later. He broke clear from just inside Juve's defensive half and from about 12 metres out cracked the ball past helpless Gary

Clayton. With just 10 minutes to go Brendan Lakic played a superb ball forward to Marshall. The big man laid it into Lipiarski's path and the Polonia midfleder rifled a booming first time drive into the top corner from 18 metres. It was a spectacular goal which put the icing on Polonia's cake.

AJAX 2 (Macleod pen, Ajax coach Bobby McLachmarpang a surprise by bringing in young Ron Kremers in place of linjured John Galler His week. Sunshine as the talented midfielder and his family law are returning to Scotland law are returning to Scotland law are wind a law wind a wind

SUNSHINE 0 AJAX 2 (Macleod pen. Smallman)

The Doves stunned the home side by taking an 8th minute lead when Stan Webster's hard shot from just inside the area hit off Ken Barclay and went into the Wilhelmina goal.

hit off Ken Barclay and went into the Wil-helming goal.
About 12 minutes later though scores were tied. Dave Hoyland played the ball into Joe Carroll's path and the classy Wil-helmina striker expertly slotted it past Lou Ivanoff into the bottom corner Then Hoyland, again on the right, beat a defender, took the ball up the by-line then cut it back to the far post. Ken Stewart charged in and headed Wilhelmina into a 2-1 lead

SUNSHINE: Malotis 8 — Mussel 7, Lowe 8, Gransbergen 7, McRo-bert 7 — Taylor 6, R. Nakon 6 (Simpson 89th), Ellis 7, McNelly 6 — Pato 6, Bin 6. AJAX: Denys 7 — Paul Lewis 6, Cannell 8, Kramar 8, Vassallo 8 — Wallace 6 (Morrey 70th), Bennett 6 (Greechan 16th), Williams 7 — Macleod 8, Smallman 6, Paul Lewis 6,

Gordon Wallace captained Ajax for the first and last time against

Wallace has become a real favorite of the Ajax fans after a short stay here. He arrived last year and although plagued y injury his class has stood out whenever he's been fit enough to drive the green and whites forward.

gruelling clash, played in a highly competitive atmos-phere usually reserved for cup

Sunshine fought like tigers and although Ajax had m the play the Shiners always dangerous.

Right on the stroke of half, time the Doves won a penalty. Quin scored from the spot but referee Gaut wasn't ready. He ruled that the kick be taken again and the second time Quin hammered the ball onto the hor.

the bar

The Doves put Wilhelmina under the
hammer for most of the second half and
only some amateurish finishing denied
then from levelling. Perhaps the biggest
culprit was midfielder Mike McIovn He
was set up when Webster pushed the ball
under Barcialy's body but almost unbeliewally McIovor shot over from two metres

Referee Venios figured in Referee Venios figured in three controversial incidents. The first occurred in the first half when he disallowed David Smallman's headed goal ruling that Smallman was offside. However the linesman didn't flag.

The second even was better. Again it was Paul Lewis who broke through only to watch in dismay as young Meletis palmed his shot wide for a cor-

Again Ajax had a goal dis-allowed, this time in the second half when big Gus Macleod rose high to head in but Venois ruled that Meletis had been infringed.

Luck broke Ajax's way though in the 82nd minute when Venios pointed to the spot, ruling that a Sunshine de-fender handled inside his area. Macleod converted.

Then three minutes later Smallman sealed Sunshine's fate with a thundering drive from all of 25 metres.



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RINGWOOD WILHELMINA 2 (Carroll,

WILHELMINA: Barclay 7 - Paraman 7, Brooks 7, Stresust 8, Gibaon 6 [in], Burton 70th)

— O'Rilley 6 (de Graef 65th), Tront 7, Thom 6 Hoyland 8, Carroll 8, Stewart 7.

— DOVETON: Ivanoff 7 - Thurlow 7, Cork Marick 7, Huhai 7 - McIvor 6, Anchewa 8, Train 7 - Spink 6, Webster 9, Quin 6 (Lannon 30th).

Alan Quin's twice taken and missed penalty was to prove crucial to Doveton's vain attempt to grab at least a point from this Jubilee Park clash.

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First winwith only nine men

FRANKSTON 1 (Stewart) HELLAS-HAKOAH O

FRANKSTON: Gibert 8 Inj. Peterson 347 8J. — Py. Tuttill 9. Drinackly 9. Mitchell 8 — Ormond 6 (sent off 65th), C. Whitsaide 7. Cooks 8, Gonswer 5 (inj. Buchana 637d) — Wall 6, Stewert 7. HELLAS-HAKON: Telgris 7 — Davidson 8, Hannah 8, Kalfardida 9, Cooney 8 — Cummings 7, Owen 7, Jordanou 7 — Alcama 7, Peterson 19 — Commings 7 (Senting 19 Cooney 8) — Colling 19 (Senting 19 Cooling 19 Cool

6 (Bacinovski Toth), Nahmookus ...
Frankston held out for its first win of the season, ending the game with nine men after David Gilbert was replaced with severe concussion, Eddie Ormond was sent off for arguing with a team mate and Kevin Wall limped about for the last 20 minutes with a strained groin.

Kevin Wall timped about for the last 29 minutes with a strained groin.

The first blow for the Baysiders came in the 48rd minute when Bill Jordanou clashed with Gilbert, forcing the groggy young keeper to leave the field and be replaced by Frank Peterson.

The Baysiders though were able to keep intact their 1-0 lead gained in the 15th minute when Robbie Stewart unleashed a thundering volley from just inside the area.

The second half was 15 minutes old when Peter Abraam tried to cross but the ball hit David Pye on the arm inside the Frankston area. Referee Upjohn awarded a penalty but Jordanou's weak attempt was 'saved by Peterson.

Carlos Gonsalves was in-

son.
Carlos Gonsalves was injured and replaced by Billy Buchanan. Two minutes later, in the 65th minute young Ormond and Stewart started arguing and it was Ormond who was sent off alegedly for using fout and abusive lan-

Loughnane)

Wolves man

for Albion Albion Rovers 1 (Coyle) George cross 1 (Rigby)

ROVERS: Lacock 7 — A. McMillan 7, Munro 7 (D'Sylva H.T. 7), Creany 7, Nisbet 8 — Cutler 5, Murphy 7, Coyle 8 — Ferrie 6, S. Morphy 7, Coyle 8 — Ferrie 6, S. GEORGE CROSS: Tachiris 7 — Fisani 7, Birsle 7, Lawson 7, McKinlay 9 — Balla 7, Nigh 7, McCann 6 — Toda 9, Gilder 6, Missi

Finglish striker Kevin Lloyd from Wolverhampton was due to arrive on Tuesday and play in a friendly game for Albion Rovers against South Meb bourne Hellas tomorrow night (Thursday) at Middle Park.

Gary Cutler, playing on the right side of midfield, played the ball wide to Bennie Ferrie who took it to the by-line then crossed far post and Keiron Coyle headed home.

Cross created its best chances in the second half and was the better outfit on the day. However the name of the game is to convert scoring opportunities and cross could take only one, in the 66th minute.

Even then Albion keeper Danny Lacock must shoulder part of the blame. He called, came, but was beaten to Ray Mizzi's corner by the head of Dave Rigby who neatly glan-ced the ball into the far corner.

Box Hill coach Bill face Fawki Hughes galloping down the right side. His cross was cut out but the referee ruled that Campbell had used his hand to effect the interception, and after consultation with the linesman, awarded a penalty. Stutchbury picked the correct way to go, but really had no hope of saving a Taylor special which flashed into the bottom right hand corner of the net well clear of the grasping fingers of the Pines' custodian.

Murray remains con-fident his team can win the First Divichampionship despite the transfer of Mike Valentine to Heidelberg-Alexan-

der.
"Paul Priestley who's been out for half the season, is getting fit again, and he'll be a big plus in our attack," Murray

said. "And we have the experience of Ray Taylor to call on as

Murray and his team face probably their stiffest test of the season when they travel to Jukes Road on Saturday to meet Fawkner.

Jukes Road on Saturday to meet Fawkner.
Attona Gate Vardar hammered lowly Slavia 6-4 on the weekend but the highlight of the match was the double hattrick from former Australian international Mike Micewski. Welshman David Jones, a 29 year old defender or mid-fielder from Brecon United, has been signed by Foundhas been signed by Foundhas been signed by Foundhas been signed by Foundhouse with George Cross a few years ago, played in Brecon's championship winning side in the First Division of the Welsh League.

the First Division of the League Mooroolbark player-coach Ian Williamson has waited for some time to be able to field his strongest line-up. That time comes on Saturday when the Barkers host second placed Sandringham City and Williamson is confident of vic-

METROPOLITAN **DIVISION ONE**

BOX HILL 2 (Ramos, Taylor pen) FRANKSTON PINES 1 (Cullen).

Croydon seeks general

MORWELL FALCONS 2 (McClunie 2) CROYDON 1 (I.I

Selwyn Park is back to its hard and bumpy best but that didn't stop Albion from taking a 6th minute lead last Saturday.

Ameteo Travel also is sponsoring our Top Scorer award, a trip to

Frankston City's State League
newcomer, Stopper Paul Drinnscky,
has moved into equal second place
alongside team mate Grahem Tutili
in Ametico Trave's State League
Byew of the Year award.
Leading the award are HellanLeading the award are HellanFrankston from the Year wins a trip
to Europe, Hing Thai International.
This weak's votes:
Polonia v Juventrus: Mila (P),
Solica V Juventrus: Mila (P),
Athion v George Cross: Coyle (A),
McKinlay (GC).
Falcons v Croydon: Higham (F),
Loughnane (GC).
Frankston v Hellan-Hakoah: Drinackly (F), Hamsh (H-H),
Surshine v Ajaz Lowe (S), MaciRinowood v Doveton: Cerroll (R);

FALCONS: Whiteside 7 — Smart 7, Higham 8, Irvine 7, Neale 6 — Bing-m 6, Daniels 7, O'Cellaghan 8 — Mitten 8, McClunie 8 (inj. Bond 85th), T.

ham 6, Daniels 7, O'Callaghan 8 — Mitten 8, McClune 6 (wg. sono adun, r-van Baer 7. CROYDON: Edwards 7 — Brown 6, Haupt 6, McCombe 6, Hobson 7 — Dobson 7, Nolan 6, Bakker 7 — Corke 6 (inj. P. Loughnane 55th 7), Tkachuk 8, I. Loughnane 8.



BOX HILL: Morgan, McLeod, Roodhouse, Lawler, Brownile, Ramos, Taylor, Telmie, Verschia, Patterson, Hughes.
FRANKSTON PINES: Statchbury, Ferris, Edmondson, Murre, Callen, Political, Challen, Political, Challen, Political, Challen, Political, Challen, Patterna, Pattern

62 min).

It was a pleasure to be at Wembley Park on a warm sunny afternoon to watch two well matched teams playing in perfect conditions, as Box Hill defeated Frankston Pines by the odd goal in three Indeed. defeated Frankston Pines by the odd goal in three Indeed the visitors, having scored after half an hour, held on their lead until the 61st minute when the Hillmen finally dropped into their rhythm, and the Pines were cut down to

dropped into their rhythm, and the Pines were cut down to size.

In the 32nd minute a mix up between McLeod and Brownlie resulted in the latter conceding a corner on the left. O'-falloran's place kick was touched on at the near post by the ebullient Malcolm, and Cullen was on hand to home from close range.

In the 61st minute, a Tolmie corner was met by Ramos rising high above the Frankston defence to send the ball rocketing into the roof of the net with Stuchbury helpless.

Box Hill's veteran Ray Taylor who replaced the recently transferred Valentine, was finding acress of space playing wide and deep, sparking off move after move, and after only a further four minutes the Hillmen took the lead.

Tolmie won a ball in midfield and sent the ever willing

KNER 2 (Schipano 40th, Anselma 50th).

KNOX CITY O FAW-

WESTERN SUBURBS 5 (Dimovski 2, Klarin, Moore, Gilmour) KEW CITY 0.

WESTERN SUBURBS: Johnson, Kypirtidis, Kupinic, Methou, Howe - Kupiaz (Dimovski half time), Moore, Vojtok - Segi, Klarin, Gil-

our). Wests' best: Klarin, Vojtek,

Western Suburbs climbed to third position with this big win, thanks to the sterling midfield work of player-coach Billy Vojtek who set up three goals.

FAWKNER: Terzini, Sabedini, strov (Malnenti half time), Fat-ore, Gooney, B. Sabidusai, C. Sabi-usal, Anselma, Tuffield, Curjica, chipano. Fawkner's best: Terzini, Gooney, ichipano. Curica.

ipano, Curjica. NOX: Kennedy, Robertson Neil H.T.) Allison, S. Smith, rray, Dixon,, D. Smith, Roddis omson 55th), Gerrish, Lesbirel,

Knox's best: Murray, S. Smith, D.

Knoz's best: Murray, 8.5 mith, 0.5 mith.
With Fawkner and Box Hill both winning on Saturday and still separated only by goal difference, the stage is set for a spectacular battle between the two leaders at Jukes Road in Fawkner on Saturday.
Fawkner was hoping as we went to Press to sign up former JUST and Victorian star Joe Picioane from Marconi him for the game.
Marconi has agreed to rejease Picioane on loan for \$1000 until the end of the sean, but the deal depended son, but the deal depended on a litness test to determine whether Picioane's back injury had cleared up.

Doboto 7, Noboto 6, Bokker 7 - Cocke 6 lin J. Loughnase 8.
Croydon's search for a midfield general will be stepped up this week as the June 30 transfer deadline nears.
That was coach Ken Kontra's reaction to Saturday's 2-1 loss in the Latrobe Valley, Kontra however may have talented Paul Wade back after injury for this weekend and Peter Loughnane, who came on as a substitute against Falcons, should be in the starting line-up. Falcons hit the front in the 9th minute. David Neals passed to Noel Mitten whose first time flick sent the ball into John O'Callaghan's path. The Falcons midfielder crashed a fierce drive which hit off keeper Mick Edwards and the incoming Richie McClunie slotted the ball in.
Just 10 minutes after the interval Croydon levelled and what a goal it was I an Loughnane was on a sharp angle about six metres out when he received possession. He cotnrolled the ball, spun around and rifled it into the net, all in one fluid movement, before an astonished Bill Whiteside had time to react.
McClunie snapped up the winner II minutes from time. Tony van Baar, on the left, played the ball to Mitten who turned sharply past his marker and crossed an inch perfect ball for McClunie whose neatly executed glancing header gave Falcons an important home win. whether Picioane's back injury had cleared up. If it has, we may well see Picioane, the Bracilian-style bail wizard, in Fawkner's team on Saturday. Goalkeeper Terzini also is in top form for this big clash, having saved a penalty against Knox last weekend. Fawkner took the lead with a great volley by Schipano after a good build-up by Bruno Sabidussi and Tuffield. Tuffield and Fattore were

abidussi and Tuffield.

Tuffield and Fattore were nvolved in the lead-up to the econd goal, scored by Ansel-

na.

Knox certainly had its chances but was given a lesson in the art of finishing.

DIVISION TWO ARDEER 3 (Christoudias 2. Gamanski) RINGWOOD UTD 1 (Gillan)

UTD 1 (Gillan)
ARDER: Darch, Blicharz, Kuctyniaki, Olinowski, Czernecki, Garamanski, Obrembalski, Wanierwski,
Stratos, N. Christoudias, Saliba.
RINGWOOD UNITED: Mills,
Cuvullio, Kovacavic, Bakkar, Baily, Javtovic, Hagyman, Dejanovic,
Gillan, Bjelogrike, Basic.
BEST PLAYERS: Ardeesr — Wis-

DIVISION THREE

PRAHRAN O NU-NAWADING 6 (E. Pahljani 3, Owen, Guscic, Horner.

NUNAWADING: Van Egmond, P. Mullett, Moyle, Koplec, Guscic, Horner, H. Mullett, Owen, E. Pah-ijani, van Egmond jnr, Henkle. BEST: Nunawading — Henkle, van Egmond jnr, Pahijani.

Billy Vojtek who set up three goals. Silly Vojtek who set up three goals. Cik Klarin had a great game in attack, and the substitution of Eddy Kupisz. by Steve Dimovski at hald time was crucial as Dimovski scored two goals.

Kew City defender Danny McCluskey was sent off the field when the score was 3-0, leaving Kew with 10 men for the las 35 minutes. The big win marks the revival of Wests, who looked down and out early in the season.

Goalkeeper Billy Johnson has made a big difference to the defeace since his transfer from Albion Rovers, on being free of injuries, for the past five weeks, during which Wests won all their games.

KNOX CITY O FAW-BEST: Nonawarding - renney, sen Egmond in, Pahijan.

Both sides got stuck in from the start in this aggressive competitive top-of-the-table clash at Come Park.

An Andy Horner goal in the 20th minute separated the teams at the break. Greg Henkle's blistering pace was causing problems for Prahran at the back.

Prahran's flame flickered and finally went out in an incident packed second half which saw five goals and a sending off.

Emile Pahijani cracked home a hat-trick and Trevor Owen and John Guscic wrapped it up.

Prahran was reduced to 10 men when it had a player sent off for a foul on Owen.

ELTHAM 1 (Herma BRIGHTON 3 (Lally

Donnelly)
The Redbacks lost their sting when they were crushed by a no-nonsence Brighton

side.

Ettham persisted in rushing at the visiting defence like a bull at a gate, while the Brighton side broke up the attacks at will and quickly went into attack with long clearances straight down the field.

This was a disastrous result for Ettham who are now deep in the relegation zone.

MORNINGTON 4 (Runje 4) SUNBURY 2 (Roberts, Blackley) SUNBURY: L. Grech, A. Thom-son, R. Duncasson, A. Blackley, G. Snavens, M. Gilligan, G. Train, T. Campbell, G. Roberts, M. Brooks, H. Stewart, Subs: P. Molloy, B. Maric.

Centre forward Goran Runje scored four goals for Mornington in a scintillating display against Sunbury at Mornington. Sunbury went into a deser-

Mornington.

Sunbury went into a deserved lead in eight minutes when a Stewart cross was slammed home by Roberts. Sunburd went to the sunburd with the sunburd was a sunburd with the sunburd marking allowed Runje in to score two quick goals, the last when he controlled a long ball in the six yard box and slotted it past sunbury keeper Greech and the second when Sunbury's defence was caught square' and he outpaced two defenders, then headed the ball over the keeper.

In the second half Sunbury

keeper.

In the second half Sunbury paid the penalty for pushing forward and were exposed at the back.

PORT MELBOURNE 4 (Stavridis pen, Gessos, Tsolakis, Petersen) CORIO 1.

PORT: A. Karamouds, M. Hat-ipanagiotia, M. Hamskiotia, P. Joukas (Petrasen H.T.), A. Kotza-nichalia, P. Tsolakia, A. Savage, J. Gostopoulos, N. Lazarides J. Da-stsides), G. Stavidis, M. Gessoa. BEST: Port — Tsolakia, Ka-amouzia, Savage.

BEST: Port — Toolskis, Immousts, Seveges.
Corio started looked likely to score but great goalkeeping from Karamouzis defied the visitors.
Port soon got on top when Kotzamichalls put Lazaridis through who was then brought down in the area. Stavridis converted from the spot.
Andy Savage, making his debut for Port, started the attack from which Gessos scored Port's second.
After the break Tsolakis was rewarded for his fine play when he scored a sizzling left foot volley from outside the area.

area.
Petersen put the result beyond doubt when he planted the ball in the top corner from 25 yards.
Corio scored a consolation goal minutes from the end, but the match belonged to Port.

DIVISION FOUR

CHELSEA 1 (McCor-mack pen) ROSEBUD 3 (Golby pen, Hughes,

CHELSEA: Gaskin, Doxose, Mit-en, Hums, Frick, Amson, Walton, thadwick (Collins 75th), McCor-seck, Fiorentina, Hutley (Leffson

mack, Fiorentina, Hutlay (Laffson 75th). ROSEBUD: Schultz, Golby, Goodman, Shanks, S. Nagy, Hughes, Smart, Cameron (Fords 78th), L. Nagy (Blakley 75th), Rees, Fords.

BEST: Chelses — Gascin, Amson, Mitten. Rosebud — Cam-eron, Rees, Goodman.

Selections

METROPOLITAN DIVISION ONE Sabriday: Kew City v Ball Park (draw); NUSSTON PRINS v Alteas City; FAMMOREN v Hill. Sunday: ELLOR v Richmond; Slavia v WEST-SIGURIES MORELAND v Altena Gate; DON-STER ROYERS v Kosa City

DIVISION TWO
Saturday: JUST, v 5th, Math, Mont, WAVERLEY CITY v Heideberg United, RINKPOOD
UNITED V Springers, ST. ALEANS v Anters: Heidefault Boardons v DANIEBNOG CITY. BROADMEADOWS CITY PRISTAN Makedonia: Wernites
v Meabourne (draw).

Saturday: SUMBURY UNITED v Royal Richmond; NUNAWADING CITY v Morningtan; YAL.
LDURN v Praloms City; Brighten v Thomastown
(draw): NTH BANDERONG v Ethans; CORIO v
Cabury; Kayabarough v PORT MELBOURNE

Coburg: Keyabarough v PORT MELBOURNE

DIVISION FOUR

Saturdey: Features Gully v STH OAKLEIGH;
Gealong v Nth Gealong (daws): Moorcoburt, v Sandringham City (daws): Moorcoburt, v Sandringham City (daws): ROSED v Monach University, CAULPRED CITY v Chalsas, ESSENBOOK CITY v Hamily Rangura, Grassabotough v Moorabbin City (daws).

PROVISIONAL DIVISION ONE
Saturday: HAWTHORN v Shapparton City: Nonavouring United v Hawksham (darwi: South
Varra v KARIKGAL UNITED, Lalor United v SAL
LARAT, LANGWARRIN v Melton, CLATTON v
Cartine, ROSAMA v East Darmavick

DIVISION TWO
Saturday, CRAMBDURNE v West Malbourn
ABBOTSFORD v Berwick City, Merdfallice v BL
LEEN, Bareaia v Ragent (draw), Central City
YARRAVILE, Mor United v CLIFTON HILL: Kyn
ton v MALVERN CITY

DIVISION THREE
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LANINGA v West Smarried, DALIAS CITY w
Medica ALTON AUTHOR West Means Produc
RAMPTON WANDERES v Mitchen, UNI OF
MELDOURNE v Chelmehan, Bursley v Sch Dandenoug (drawd)

DIVISION FOUR
Saturday: MOSSFIEL RANGERS v Batman
United SEAFORD v Port United, Mornanhanna v
SPRINGVALE UNITED, Aucot United v PASCOE
VALE NTH SUNCHINE v Varmont, HOLLANO
PARK v Nd Melbeures, DINICLEY v East Cartion

AMATEUR LEAGUE
DIVISION ONE
Sunday: MACCASI HANDAN v Hoss United
Classitos v PARMORE: RIDEAVOUR HILLS v
Burders, BALWYN CITY v Balacians, Macfood
United v POSTER RESITUTUS, MERBURNING UNIV
Mandow Park LYNDALE UNITED v Latrobe Univ

Sanday BELONG UNITED V West United,
PMIT V Dissect Creek, WAVERLEY UNITED V
Bartar, RAAF MELBOURNE V Mill Park, EPPING
THISTIE V St. Bernard, CONCORDE V Westell,
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Croatia took a two point lead in the State League of NSW at the way mark following their resounding win over Rock-dale Ilinden at King Tomislav Park.

Tomislav Park.

It was the first time this year that Croatia appeared in the park with the same II players in successive weeks, suggesting not only that they have found the winning line-up but also the formula for scoring goals.

Blacktown Demons could only snatch one point at home against much improved Melitan, while Riverwood suffered its second successive defeat this time against Auburn at Mona Park.

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NSW State League with ALEX VESIC

Manly gave way to an eager Sutherland at Seymour Shaw Park, while Canterbury made ground on the top four by disposing of Bankstown. Polonia has finally scored a goal, following a succession of drab 0-0 draws but their keep-r, Ziggy Kalinowski, also was beaten, giving Polonia yet another draw, their sixth in 13

other draw, their sixth in 13 outings this season.

Next week Croatia will meet Riverwood at King Tomislav Park in the clash of the round which should clear much of the air at the top of the table. Blacktown should have an easy

task in disposing of Rockdale Ilinden at the Gabbie Stadium to keep up with the leaders, while Canterbury will have its work cut out against much im-proved Avala at Arlington Oval.

proved Avala at Arlington Oval.

Sutherland will visit Yugal next Sunday at Concord Oval in a match they'd love to win, whilst Manly should get yet another two points at Cromer Park, if for no other reason than their outstanding home record this year.

Melita Eagles should start their climb up the ladder after meeting Bankstown at the melita Stadium. Despite their lowly position Melita still has an outside chance of getting into the top four.

Sutherland 2 Manly W. 1

Scorers: T. Bush 2 (S), T. Smith (MW). SUTHERLAND: Haynes, Hes-ford, Cashman, Schurmann, Scharfeger, Groome, Meedes, Clinsh, Bush, Harrington, Rogers. MANLY: Dower, K. Falconer, Doyle, Dick, Geoghean, Lock, Noble, P. Falconer, Regan, Smith, Stuart. —

Sutherland continued its good form with a hard fought win over Manly Warringah at Seymour Shaw Park to further stake their claim for a place in

stake their claim for a place in the top four.

It was a game of two halves with Manly having the upper hand in the first and Sutherland during the second period. It was only fitting that the teams should score during the period which they dominated with Manly going ahead in the first half and Sutherland bouncing back with two goals from Bush in the second half to take the points.

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After 22 minutes of play
Manly went ahead through 'evergreen' striker. Ferr's
Smith, Foliaving a mad a neat
beader by Gary Lock, the ball
went to Smith who found the
new the smith who found the
new that a good shot from close
range.

With Meades, Groome and
Harrington taking reign in
midfield Sutherland started to
take the upper hand early in
the second half.

In fact it was Harrington
who created the equaliser in
the 64th minute for Bush and
only 60 seconds later it was
steve Meades who- made to
the sold bear to the
to end Manly's hopes of getting
a point.

Harrington ran some 30
metres before slipping the ball
into the path of an unmarked
Bush to beat Dowell from
close range. Only a minute
later, Meades hit the post with
a great drive, but Bush was on
the spot to pick up a rebound
and score the winning goal.

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It was also Smith's goodbye

miskicked with a gaping net invitingly open. It was also Smith's goodbye to the State League for some time. He will be off to England and Spain for obvious reasons during the next month or so

Auburn 1 Riverwood 0

Scorer: Bobby Allen. AUBURN: Walker, McInnerney, Peters, Prgomelja, Hardwick, Et-well, O'Donnell, Date, Carney, Hof-lessey, Allen.

well, O'Donnell, Date, Carrey, no-loway, Allan. RIVERWOOD: Lechowicz, Berry, Foraster, Butcher, Smith, Juchnie-wicz, Parker, Tracey, Walker, Stod-dart, Murray.

In an evenly contested match, Auburn shocked Riverwood with a goal midway through the second half to take the points at Hurstville Oval. Mark Holloway, Auburn's hero of last week's win over Avala was the architect behind the winning goal this week. His meat cross was tucked away by Bobby Allan and that was the ball game.

For Auburn it was a wel-come back to the winning list but as one club official re-marked: "It is also time to start paying our players bonu-ses.

Ses.

Auburn has won seven out of a possible eight points in the last four competition matches. For Riverwood it was a second successive defeat following a run of nine wins in a row!

Yugal 3

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Scores: Williams 2, Rule (A),
Rendall 2, Robes Y,
AVALA: Abrana, Lembryh, Deire, Barton, Vuljnovic, Djursic,
Williams, Tin, Rule.
YUGAL: Berry, Rendall,
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YUGAL: Berry,
Rendall,
Rodas, Roboders, Tenovski.
Avala started and Yugal finished the scoring in this sit
goal sprea at Knight Park with
the teams sharing the spoils.
After 20 minutes of the fithe teams sharing the spoils.
After 20 minutes of the fithough Bruce Tilt. His cross
found Rulz who in turn wasted
no time belting the ball past
Berry from some 20 metres.
A cross by Yugal's best,
Tommy Mihajlovic, was
headed home by Rendell to
even the score and send the
teams on level pegging into the
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score two great goals in as

soon after the interval but Neil Williams came to the fore to score two great goals in as many minutes to give Avala the edge after 56 minutes. Yugal came back through Patrick Rodas to make it 3-3. Avala held the edge for the remainder of the game but failed to add to the score.

Rockdale 0

ROCKGAILE O

Scorer: Galic 2, Savo, Cerrizzo,
Woods, Hensman, Coyne.
CROATIA: Watson, Woods, ViCROATIA: Watson, Woods, ViColeman (Cartzo), Kovacis, Coyne,
(Basic), Galic, Honsman.
ROCKGAILE: Bawer, Matheson
(Da Costal, O'Rorke, Bottslico,
Arion, Turtaski, Morsello, Pilovaki,
Tripanovaki.

Croatia hammered Rock-dale at King Tomislav Park with a sparkling display of at-tacking soccer, suggesting that times of low scores are behind them.

that times of low scores are behind them.

It was a pity that only a handful of spectators, some 700, turned out to watch this match, for it was Croatia's most resounding victory of the season with goals galore.

Savor opened the scoring as early as the 10th minute, then Rockdale had a great opportunity to make it 1-1 minutes later. Les Lorinc missed a penalty and that was just the tonic the home side needed.

They came forward and scored again just before half time. Soon after the resumption they jumped to a 30 lead, then Rockdale suffered yet another setback with Robin getting his marching orders in the ting his marching orders in the

ting its marching orders in the S5th minute. Raul Carrizzo scored a goal and had a hand in another three as Croatia mauled Rock-dale llinden during the second hall, with John Coyne concluding the proceedings by scoring in the last minute of this one sided affair.

NSW STATE LEAGUE

From page one

never make it!

debut for Udinese in September, 1961.

Later in that season he again crossed paths with Ju-

ber, 1981.

Later in that season he again crossed paths with Juventus.

Udinese was away to the black and white striped champions but the referee wasn't happy with Zoff's strip. He ordered him back into the dressing room just seconds before the kick-off.

To Zoff's dismay Udinese didn't have another goalkeeper's jersey. In stepped Juventus keeper Gasparl. He lent Zoff the famous Juve strip with its gold star and insigni awarded for Juve's league championship win the previous season.

To complete this almost supernatural twist Zoff was

season
To complete this almost supernatural twist Zoff was absolutely outstanding in goal that day. He denied Juve time and time again and Udinese ran out an upset victor to the tune of 3-2. Zoff and the world didn't

know it at the time but the amazing keeper was destined to wear the gold star and insignia for Juventus on six occasions in nine years.

He also has a UEFA Cup Winners' medal to his credit, won when Juventus defeated Bilbao on the away goals rule in the 1977 final.

Zoff bolds an international unbeaten record of 1,143 minutes with a blank sheet. That was achieved in 1973 and 1974.

In the Italian league he

1974. In the Italian league he holds a similar record, this time a mere 903 minutes. Zoff has been blessed with good fortune in avoiding injury. His record now stands at over 1000 appearances involving league, cup, European, international, representative and friendly games.

international, representative and friendly games.
His hero is Russian legend Lev Yashin. Zoff never tires of reminding people that Yashin went on until he was over 40.
That means that we can expect to see Zoff around for a few more years yet.

Programme for finals

June 21: Algeria v Austria;

June 22: Peru v Poland:

June 23: Italy v Cameroon:

France v Kuwait; Honduras v N. Ireland.

Belgium v Hungary; Soviet Union v Scotland.

Programme for the prelimi-nary round of the World Cup

Dino Zoff's image has been tarnished recently. Some say the reactions aren't what they used to be. The whispers started in the Argentine in 1978 when Holland's Arle Haan slammed an absolute scorcher past him from 30 metres to clinch a Dutch final berth.

Zoff though, remains as one of the great personalities of

the game.

How ironic that the man who has remained irreplaceable for Juventus and Italy for so long was often told as a boy that he'd never make a goalkeeper!

To small to a mall sold the

Too small, too small said the echo in the young Zoff's ears as he unsuccessfully paraded his budding talent at a number of clubs in his local area north

of Venice. Even giants Juventus and Internazionale turned him down. In Juventus' case the blunder was to cost about \$1,000,000 when it bought Zoff from Napoli in 1972.

Zoff was about to turn 20 when he made his Serie A

June 13: Argentina v Belgium.

gium.
June 14: Italy v Poland;
Brazil v Soviet Union.
June 15: Peru v Cameroun;
Hungary v El Salvador; Scotland v New Zealand.
June 16: W. Germany v Algeria; England v France;
Spain v Honduras.

June 17: Chile v Austraia;

June 17: Chile v Austraig; Czechoslovakia v Kuwait; Yu-goslavia v N. Ireland. June 18: Italy v Peru; Ar-gentina v Hungary; Brazil v Scotland. June 19: Poland v Carn-eroon; Belgium v El Salvador; Soviet Union v New Zealand. June 20: W. Germany v Chile, England v Czechoslovakia; Spain v Yu-goslavia.

June 23: Italy v Cameroon;
Argentina v El Salvador;
Parall v New Zealand.
June 24: Algeria v Chile;
France v Czechoslovakia;
Honduras v Yugoslavia.
June 25: W. Germany v
Austria; England v Kuwait;
Spain v Northern Ireland.
Preliminary round matches
will be staged between 13
June and 25 June. Top two in
each group qualify for second
round.
SECOND ROUND
JUNE 28 — JULY 5

SECOND ROUND
JUNE 28 — JULY 5
Group A (Barceloria, No. 4
Camp): Group one winners,
group three winners, group
six runners-up.

GROUP B (Madrid, Bernabeu): Group two winners group four winners, group five runners-up.

GROUP C (Barcelona, Sarria): Group six winners, group one runners-up, group three runners-up.

GROUP D (Madrid, Calderon): Group five win-ners, group two runners-up, group four runners-up,

Winners of second-round groups qualify for semi-finals.

Semi-finals, July 8: Group A winners v. group C winners (Barcelona, Nou Camp), Group B winners v Group D winners (Seville)

Third-place playoff, July 10

Final July 11 (Madrid, Ber-



e Belgium's World Cup team back row: Sneider,s Meeuws, Pfaff, Czerniatynski, L. Millecamps, Vandereycken. Front: Gerets, Millecamps, Renquin, Voordeckers, Ver-

Keegan tips England

it's a decision I'll have to think on for a little longer," said the manager. Shilton, who kept clean cheets against Scotland and

Shilton, who kept clean sheets against Scotland and Holland, could well emerge as first choice. He has not been beaten in his past four international appearance. The squad is: Goalkeepers — Ray Clemence (Tottenham), aged 33, 30 caps; Joe Cerrigan (Manchester City) 32, 52 peter Shilton (Wits Forest) 34, 47 defenders: 1914 Anthesma (Notis Forest) 24, 181 Terry Butcher (Ip-Forest) 25, 181 Terry Butcher (Ip-

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VIKOK PORAZ MAKEDONIJE U PRESTONU

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svome klubu na zeli.

U DRUGGJ DIVIZIJI V.S.F.-a JUST POSED TEM PO

PROCESSE!

JUSTOV TIM ISPOD 16 GODINA

NASTAVLJA SVOJE USPEHE

U nedelju je Just-ov tim ispod 16
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u golove.

Odlicno trentran i vodjan od strane G.O. Z. Karica i M. Vilajnica, ovej tim nije ligublo nijednu utaknica ovej otim nije ligublo nijednu utaknica ovej odlice i odata prevetavlja diselplina, pozrvovanja i odusevinjak od onisenilace.

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CAPTAIN KEVIN Keegan says England could be the surprise underdogs at the World Cup.

Keegan, allowed to break ranks in the alphabetically listed squad of 22 so that he can wear his lucky No, 7 shirt, believes that the team under manager Ron Greenwood and coach Don Howe has a strong hance of taking off the cup over expected favorites Brazil, Argentina, and West Germany. Manager Ron Greenwood still has to decide which of his three world class goalkeepers will face France in the opening match.

Peter Shilton, Ray Clemence and Joe Cerrigan would walk into most national teams.

"I know what all three have done for us and I know what they are capable of doing, but

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NSW FIXTURES, SCORERS

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swich) 23. 4; Sieve Foster (Brighton) 24, 2; Mick Mills (Ipswich) 33, 37; Phil Neale (Liverpool) 31, 37; Kenny Samson (Arsenal) 23, 33; midfielders Trevor Brookind (Manchester Utd) 25,38; Gleen Hoddle (Tottenham) 24,11; Terry McDermott (Liverpool) 38, 25; Graham Rix (Arsenal) 24, 18; Ray Wilkins Manchester Utd) 25, 47; Strikers Kevin Keegan (Southampton) 31, 22; Cry (Nov. 27) 28, 21; Peter Withe (Aston Villa) 38, 21; Peter Withe (Aston Villa) 38, 5; Tony Woodcack (Cologne) 28, 22.

YUGOSLAVIA BEATEN

A team selected by the Yugoslav Press best the national World Cup squad 3-2 in a warm-up match in Belgrade. Hartima - 16. Scores: Yugoslavia's world cup squad — Halli-hartima - 16. Scores: Yugoslavia's selection — Vukotic, Mrks-la, Minaric. Attendence: 55,000.

KI' AAAH NIKH

Παρά τού ότι τό 'Ωκλη έπαιξε καλό ποδό σφαιρο, κέρδισε μόνο μέ Ι-Ο έκτός έδρας τό Γκοήσμπορω καί παραμένει στήν κορυφή τής βαθμολογίας τού πρωταθλήματος τής Δ΄ κατηγορίας του Μετροπόλιταν. Ή κακή διαιτησία πού ήταν είς βάρος

τής έλληνικής όμαδας, λίγο έλειψε να τής στοιχήσει καί βαθμό. Τό γκόλ ήλθε στό 80'πού τό πέτυχε άντί-

παλος αμυντικός είς βάρος τής δμάδας

Από την κυανόλευκο ξεχώρισαν οί Κιάκος Πέτρου καί Τζίτζης.

Επαιξαν οί Πέτρου, Λουκάς, Πεγλιβανίδης, Κριβάρης, Μπατικιότο (30 Κοντοκώστας) Κιά κος . Γ. Καμπυλάκης . Νταντάλιας . Παπατσιάς . Στεργίου καί Τζίτζης.

Ή Β' όμάδα έχασε μέ 3-0.

O EABITE ETHN N. EAAAE

'Ο 'Αυτριου Σάβιτς δ πρώην παίκτης τής Έλλάς Μελβούρνης πού άγωνιζόταν στό Πάρκ Ραίητζερς άπό την περασμένη βδομά-δα άνηκει στην δύναμη της όμάδας τού Π. Μέλμπουρν την Ν. ΈΛΛΑΣ ή όποία τό περασμένο Σάββατο πέτυχε έπιβλητική νίκη έπί τού Κοράϊο μέ 4-Ι.

ΙΣΟΠΑΛΙΑ Ο ΠΥΘΑΓΟΡΑΣ Ο-Ο

Έντδς έδρας ό Πυθαγόρας πήρε ίσοπαλία άνευ τερμάτων άπό την τεχνική δμάδα τού Πάσκοτ Βαίπλ.

διαιτητής άκθρωσε κανονικό τέρμα πού πέτυχε ό Τριανταφύλλου.

'Η έλληνική όμάδα είχε καλή απόδοση καί πιστεύεται ότι τό Σάββατο πού άγωνίζεται στήν έδρα της μέ τό Σπρινκβαίηλ θά πάρει την νίκη. Επίσης την ίδια μέρα διορ γανώνεται Μπάρμπεκιου.

Ή Β΄ ομάδα του Πυθαγόρα νίκησε την άντί στοινη τού Πάσκοτ Βαίηλ μέ 4-2. τέρματα πέτυχαν οί Δρούλιας 2,Γρέζος

καί Καριδτογλου.

QKAH EITY - ANZ BANK 3 - I

Νέα νίκη πέτυχε το "Ωκλη Σίτυ γιά το πρω Ιντάστριαλ Λήγκ έπί τής δυ ναμικής ANZ BANK μέ 3-I.

Έ νικήτρια μέ νέο σχήμα καί ένισχυμένη με τέσσερεις έλληνες παίκτες, ήταν πολύ δυνατή καί πήρε δίκαια τήν νίκη. Καλύτερη γραμμή της ήταν ή άμυντική μέ έ πί κεφαλής του θαυμάσιο τερματοφύλακα Κ

Αλεξανδρόπουλο. Τά τέρματα πέτυχαν οί BRBUTOVIC 2 καί N

TLTC. REF: HANS ANKER IO.

Έπαιξαν οί 'Αλεξανδρόπουλος, ΜΙΚULCIC, VELESKI, Χαλδούπης, Μήλιος, MITROVIC, PAJIC KRESINGER, ILIC, HALATOLAPIG, BRBUTOVIC. Γιά πρώτη φορά άγωνίστηκαν μέ τό 'Ωκλτ Σίτυ οι Χαλδούπης και Πλιατσιάρης οι δποίοι άφησαν άριστες έντυπώσεις.

ΠΕΛΟΠΑΣ: ΝΙΚΗ καξ ΔΙΑΚΟΠΕ

Τό ότι δέν κατέβηκε στόν άγώνα ό διαιτη τής ίσως να έχει μοιραίες συνέπειες γιά τον Πέλοπα στήν συνάντηση έκτος έδρας

Ή έλληνική δυάδα προηγήθηκε στό Α' ήμι χρόνιο 2-Ι μέ τέρματα τών Λαζόπουλου -Φιλίπη. Στην έπανάληψη πάλι δ Λαζόπου λος έφτιαξε τό 3-Ι καί λίγο μετά τό Χωκ σμπουρν μείωσε σέ 3-2 για να τό διακόψει τό μάτς δ διαιτητής στό 88' χωρίς

Όπωσδήποτε τό ότι διαιτητής δρίστηκε την τελευταία στιγμή άπό τούς γηπεδούχους ήταν κάτι πού στοίχησε πολύ στήν έλληνική μας δμάδα.

ΤΑ ΤΖΟΥΝΙΌΡΣ ΤΗΣ ΔΟΓΑΣ

Στίς 7 Λυγούστου 1982 οί δμάδες Τζούνιορς τής Δόξας Γιάρραβιλ δίδουν χορό στή αίθουσα δεξιώσεων τού Οράνσις Σταίητ, Σκούλ.Γιά πληροφορίες τηλεφωνήσατε στό 682068 στ'ν κ.Αμανατίδη.

3 ΒΑΘΜΟΥΣ ΜΠΡΟΣΤΑ Η ΔΟΞΑ ΓΙΑΡΡΑΒΙΛ

Νέα νίκη πέτυγε ή πρωτοπόρος Δόξα Γιάρραβιλ γιά τό πρωτάθλημα τής Β' κατηγορίας τού Προβίζιοναλ.

θύμα της αυτή τή φορά ή ισγυρή Μπορώνια πού έχασε μέ 2-Ι. "Η έλληνική όμάδα μέ καλύτερη γραμμή

της την άμυντική, έπαιξε καλό ποδόσφαιρο καί δίκαια πήρε την νίκη πού μέ λίγη τύ

Country

The fourth Victorian Coun-

try League championship will be held at the Ken Harrison Sporting Complex, Yana

Street, Swan Hill, from Sat-urday to Monday.

Teams representing all Leagues affiliated to the Victorian Soccer Federation will be taking part.



South Oakleigh's star brothers B. and G. Campylakia

χη και προσοχή των κυνηγών της θά μπορούσε νά είχε πετύχει δύο άκόμη τέρματα Τό σκόρ άνοιξε ό Τ.Παπαχριστοδούλου στό 43'με πέναλτυ και το διπλασίασε στο 88' μέ δυνατό σούτ.

Ή Μπορώνια μείωσε τό σκόρ στό 92'(είχε κρατηθεί παράταση, σωστά, άπδ τόν άριστο διαιτητή κ.Αιβανδ Βαθμοί ΙΟ)

Άπό την Δόξα καλύτερη άπόδοση είχαν οί Τ. Ηαπαχριστοδούλου, Τ. 'Αμανατίδης, Δημητρίου καί Χρ.Παπαχριστοδούλου.

Έπαιξαν οί Ν. Αποστολίδης (κάπταιν) Χρ. Πα παχριστοδούλου,Ντ. Αποστολίδης, Τ. Αμαναν τίδης, Δημητρίου, Καλιπολίτης, Τ. Παπαχριστοδούλου, Νικολαϊδης, Χύτας (67 Μαρκάκης, Σ. Αμαναντίδης)Ν. Μελέτης καί Πετρίδης.

EKAPOME TOY MAABEPN

Τό Σάββατο τό Μάλβερν διοργανώνει έκδρο μή με πούλμαν στό Κάυνετον έπ'εύμαιοία τού άγώνα πού δίνει μέ τήν τοπική δμάδα Όσοι φίλαθλοι θέλουν νά βρεθούν μαζί μέ του σύλλογο να τηλεφωνήσουν στό 509-

ΕΝΩΣΗ ΠΟΝΤΙΩΝ

Ή 'Βνωση Ποντίων εύχαριστεί τούς κ.κ. Ηλία Αναστασίου καί Γιάννη Ερμίδη οί όποίοι δώρισαν στόν σύλλογο Ι6 φόρμες δ πρώτος καί Ι2 ζευγάρια ποδοσφαιρικά παπούτσια ό δεύτερος.

ΠΑΝΣΕΡΡΑΙΚΟΣ

Τδ νέο Δ. Συμβούλιο τού Πανσερραϊκού ξ-XEL WE EEfic:

Ποδεδρος: Σ. Ρίδης. Αντιπρδεδρος: Δ. Κωνστα ντινίδης, Γραμματέας: Γ. Μηνάς, Ταμίας: Β. Χα τζηβασιλείου. Β' Ταμίας: Γ. Μηνάς, Γεν. Αρχηγός: Π. Σταυρίδης, Β' Γεν. Αρχηγός: Κ. Ψαθάς, Σδμβουλοι: Π. Χατζησαββίδης, Τ. Ζογόπουλος, Σ. Λιούπας. Γ. Στοϊλούδης, Κ. Βουγιούκας.

NEOE ΘΡΙΑΜΒΟΣ ΤΟΥ ΜΑΛΒΕΡΝ

ΣΕ καλή μέρα το Μάλβερν νίκησε εύκολα τό Μόε μέ 7-2. Στό Α΄μέρος ή εχληνική όμαδα προηγήθηκε

μέ 3-Ι καί στην επανάληψη πέτυχε άλλά 4 τέρματα.

Σπόρερς οί Λιχούδης 3,Παπαδόπουλος 2,Γε ωργιάδης καί Μακέν άπό πέναλτυ. Χωρίς νά ύστερήσει κανένας,ξεχώρισαν οί Ρούμπος, Παπαδόπουλος καί Λιχούδης.

Έπαιξαν οί Μακέν, Λιαράκος, Β. Παλαμάρας. Σαματζής, Πετρόπουλος, Ρούμπος, Γεωργιάδης Βάρσος, Σκαμάγκας, (46 Παπαδόπουλος)Ν. Παλαμάρας, Λιχούδης (70' Ταϊμάζης).

Ή Β΄ όμάδα νίκησε 5-3 καί τέρματα τών Αρζάνα 2, Μαυρίδη, Βλάχου καί Δράκου.

ΕΝΔΙΑΦΕΡΕΙ ΤΟΥΣ ΥΠΕΥΘΎΝΟΥΣ ΤΟΥ AMEEANAPOY

Γνωρίζουμε ότι οί άνθρωποι τού Μέγα έκα ναν καί κάνουν τεράστια προσπάθεια, προκειμένου ή όμάδα τους νά παίζει στό δι-κό της σπίτι στό 'Ολύμπικ Βίλιτζ. Βοηθήσαμε καί συνεχίζουμε νά βοηθάμε σέ όλους τούς τομείς τό κιτρινόμαυρο σωμα-τείο με την διαφορά ότι οι άρμόδιοι θά πρέπει νά δώσουν κάποια μεγαλύτερη προσοχή στό μέρος πού είναι γιά τούς δημοσιογράφους.

Τήν περασμένη Κυριακή στό μάτς με τήν Κανμπέρρα άρκετοί φίλαθλοι στεκόντουσαν μπροστά στό μικρό κάραβαν πού είναι γιά τούς άνθρώπους τού Τύπου μέ άποτέλε σμα νά μή μπορούν νά παρακολουθήσουν πο λές φάσεις άπό την συνάντηση. Τό ότι δέ δέν ύπήρχε ούτε ένας άρμόδιος άπό τόν Μέγα ήταν κάτι πού "φάνηκ**ε**" πολύ κα**ί** πε ρισσότερο δταν ένας αύθάδης φίλαθλος δέν ήθελε νά μετακινηθεί αφού έμπόδιζε.

Hellas-Hakoah newcomer was a star at Hampden

By CRAIG MacKENZIE

When Hellas-Hakoah's new signing Eddie Gray, lines up against Juventus at Middle Park on Sunday he can be accused for feeling rather disappointed with the surroundings and the atmosphere.

Sunday's clash will be a far cry from playing in front of 15,000 screaming fans encir-cling the hallowed green sprawl of Hampden Park in

That was the scene for the 1980 Scottish Junior Cup Final 1980 Scottish Junior Cup Final in which Gray played on the left wing for Ballieston against Benburb. The first match was a 2-2 draw, with Gray grabbing one of Ballieston's goals. The replay went Ballieston's way, 1-0.

However the talented 22 year-old Scot was a notable absentee from this year's final at Ibrox Park between Ballieston and Blantyre Vics.

Ballieston won its way into

and Blantyre Vics.

Ballieston won its way into this year's final by downing Bonnyrigg 2-0 in the semi-linals. Gray had an outstanding game, laying on the cross balls which led to goals from Jim Ross, ex-Airdrie, and Billy Paterson.

Gray's competitive career started with East Kilbride Amateurs where Rangers' scouts spotted him and invited him to Ibrox for a two week trial.

Kilmarnock also had been keeping tabs on the promising youngster. At the end of his stint with Rangers, Gray went to Kilmarnock and did well in

to Kilmarnock and did well in trial matches against St. Mirren and Dumbarton, scor-ing against St. Mirren. Former Glasgow Cettic star Wille Fearnie was Kilmar-nock manager and had no he-sitation in signing the talented Id year old. Kilmarnock's players are part time professionals. That

Attimathock's players are part time professionals. That suited Gary fine. He could combine his job as a quality control inspector of an electrical firm with his football.

About a year after he

signed, Kilmarnock sacked Fearnie and Dave Sneddon toko over, Gray and Sneddon didn't see eye-to-eye.

The youngster chalked up only six first team appear-ances during his three years with the club before asking and getting a free transfer from Sneddon and joining Bal-lieston.

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Gray and his wife decided late last year to come to Australia to see if they could build a better life for themselves. Rising unemployment and prices in Scotland were all the spur they needed.
His wife's cousin arranged for him to train with First Division Kew City where coach Hugh Murney and team manager Joe Docherty are stationed.

"Shuggy" and "Doc" were

stationed.
"Shuggy" and "Doc" were very impressed with the youngster but were unable to sign him because he was a temporary visa player, bound by Australian Immigration Department rules to play in either the PSL or State Lea-

Murney had distinguished

himself during an eight year playing stint with Hakoah (now Hellas-Hakoah). He advised Gray to join the Greek sponsored club.

"President of Hellas-Hakoah, Jim Dimattaris, is a good friend of mine and I know that young Eddie will be well looked after." said Murney.

"Hellas-Hakoah is a stepping stone to Hellas in the PSL and I'm very confident that this lad can do it.
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this lad can do it.
"In the past a lot of players from overseas came here toward the end of their careers but nowadays overseas players are coming here at a young age. That's great life guys like these that will make Australian soccer strong in years to come."

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Gray sees himself best used as an attacking midflelder where he can find room to come forward from deep positions. He also has played on the left wing so Hellas-Haixon hoach Jim Adam has a couple of options open when planning where best to use his exciting new signing.

Big benefit match for Jimmy Dunne

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The draw is: GROUP 'A': Northern Victoria, I. & A.S.L.V., North Eastern, Western Victor-

leagues clash in Swan

Sunday, 9 am Western Victoria v Northern Victoria, 1. & A.S.L.V. v North Eastern. 11 am Latrobe Valley v Sunraysia, Bendigo Amateur v Ballarat 1 pm 1. & A.S.L.V. v Western Victoria, Northern Victoria v North Eastern. 3 pm Bendigo Amateur v Latrobe Valley, Sunraysia v Ballarat

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